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THE LOWELL SUN

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LOWELL MASS. THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 9 1915

PRICE ONE CENT

STRIP FINGERS AND EARS OF GEMS WORTH \$10,000

Mrs. Nichols Frightened to Death by Masked Men—Left \$500,000 in Strong Box—Arrest Hall Boy

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Owney Talas, for two and one-half months, a hall boy in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Nichols, the aged widow who met death last night at the hands of masked men who robbed her of gems valued at \$10,000, was arrested today after he had confessed, the police assert, to having played a part in the crime. He was formally charged with the murder. All other servants in the house were freed of suspicion. Deputy Police Commissioner Price announced.

Preliminary examination of Mrs. Nichols' body revealed the probability that she had died of fright and not of strangulation, as at first supposed, Mr. Lord said. An autopsy to be performed late today will disclose the exact cause of death.

Although the burglars stripped their victim's fingers and ears of diamonds and other jewels worth \$10,000, they failed to rifle the strong box in her safe, in which she kept gems valued at \$200,000 to \$500,000.

Detectors working on the case asserted soon after reaching the house that they believed the robbers had the assistance from someone on the premises. Accordingly they sought friends of the hall boy, found five of them in Hartland, and took them to a station house for interrogation.

The maid, the cook and the butler, in addition to Owney Talas also were closely questioned. The cook and the butler both were out of the house at the time, it was said, the maid having gone to a moving picture show and the latter having his regular night off. The maid and Talas told virtually the same story—that masked men had forced their way into the house, overpowered them, tied and gagged them and then attacked the widow.

The chief difference in their stories was that the maid said there were two masked men and the hall boy said there three.

Mrs. Nichols, in the opinion of the police, resisted the masked burglars with all the strength her 66 years permitted.

Mr. Lord said today that a preliminary examination of the body showed

HOSPITAL SITE

ACCEPT EDWARDS ALIBI

Mr. Varnum Has Another Conference With Council Over Price

The members of the municipal council met to approve bills in the mayor's reception room this morning and incidentally they held a conference with Thomas Varnum on the proposed contagious hospital site in Varnum avenue, during which Mr. Varnum informed them he would not dispose of the 33 acres of land mentioned for a hospital site for less than \$200.

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An entire new line of bracelet watches, 14k gold filled in Waltham and Elgin. Millard F. Wood, Jeweler, 101 Merrimack street.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Rheumatism

A Home Cure Given by One Who Had It. In the spring of 1893 I was attacked by Muscular and Inflammatory Rheumatism. I suffered as one who have it know. For three days I tried every remedy and doctor after doctor, but such relief as I received was only temporary. Finally, I found a remedy that cured me completely, and it has never returned, having given it to a number who were terribly afflicted and even handicapped with rheumatism, and it effected a cure in every case.

I want every sufferer from any form of rheumatic trouble to try this marvelous healing power. Don't send a cent; simply mail your name and address and I will send it free to you. If you have used it, and it has proven itself to be a most long-looked-for means of curing your rheumatism, you may send the price of it, one dollar, but understand I do not want your money unless you are perfectly satisfied with it. Isn't that the best guarantee? When you get it, don't delay. Write today. —Mark H. Jackson, No. 316 Gurney Bidg., Syracuse, N. Y.

Mr. Jackson is responsible. Above statement true.—Pub.

COMMON SENSE

If the "Movie man" offered you \$10,000 to do the India Rubber Act' and jump off a ten story building, common sense would tell you that you could not afford to take that risk, as only one man in about 189,000 ever bounces the second time. Use common sense when buying ready-to-wear apparel by buying it at

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1/2 pt. 20c, pt. 40c,
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NOTICE TO

BOXMAKERS

An open meeting will be held in the Carpenters' Hall, Runnels Building, on Friday, Sept. 10, at 7:45 p.m. The purpose of this meeting is to organize a union. Come and bring your fellow craftsmen with you. The meeting will be addressed by W.J. Shields, general organizer of the carpenters. Per order of the Carpenters' District Council.

ZEPPELIN RAID OVER THE HEART OF LONDON

20 Killed, 86 Injured—Total Casualties From Zeppelin Raids, 122 Killed, 349 Injured—New General Attack by Allies in Dardanelles—British Transport Torpedoed—Fierce Fighting in the Argonne District

Last night's Zeppelin raid on London and the English east counties resulted in the killing of 20 persons and the injury of 86 others. This makes a total of 33 persons killed and 122 injured in the raids of two successive nights.

War at Close Quarters

The raid of Zeppelins last night is described by the Pall Mall Gazette as "Londoners' first glimpse of the war at close quarters."

The Evening Standard speaks of the gloom shown everywhere but warns the public against the "noticeably widespread and dangerous disposition to disregard the affair as a species of spectacle."

It suggests that, in addition to the Zeppelin, which, within limits, "is a terrible instrument of war," there is also danger from anti-aircraft guns. Therefore, the public, it says, would be well advised to take aerial visitors more seriously than it did last night.

Last night's official statement concerning the airship raid stated that the Zeppelins "visited the eastern counties and the London district." English newspapers are prohibited from publishing unofficial details concerning such attacks, but the foregoing guardedly references indicate that the Zeppelins approached the heart of the city more closely than on previous occasions.

The attack of last night brings up the total of casualties from Zeppelin raids to 122 killed and 349 injured. On the previous night 13 persons were killed and 43 injured.

British Transport Sunk

A despatch from Berlin carries the report that the British steamer Southland formerly the Red Star liner Valencia, which was serving as a trans-

port ship, was torpedoed in Turkish waters. A message from Sofia by way of Berlin last week reported the sinking by a mine of an unnamed British transport at the entrance to the Dardanelles.

Attacks on Dardanelles

Large forces are being concentrated by the entente allies for a new general attack on the Dardanelles, according to information received in Sofia, Bulgaria.

Fighting in Argonne

Violent attacks in the Argonne region were renewed last night by the Germans, who threw heavy forces of infantry against the French trenches near Fontaine Aux Charmes. Paris declares that except for the taking of one section of trench, the German attack failed.

German Lines Bombed

French airmen continue their bombardment of German lines of communications, dropping bombs on railroad stations to the rear of the battle front.

THINK LAST NIGHT'S RAID WAS OVER HEART OF LONDON

CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—The Daily News today bases a surmise that last night's Zeppelin raid on England must have been over the heart of London on two telegrams from a staff correspondent at London. The first read "Daily News office and staff safe," and the second "All well."

"It is evident," says the Daily News, "that the raid on the British capital was effected in or near what is called 'the heart of London.' The Daily News office there is on Trafalgar square, not far from such landmarks as St.

James' palace, Westminster abbey, the parliament buildings, and the Charing Cross railroad station."

MINING MEN INDICTED

PROMINENT CANADIANS CHARGED WITH MANSLAUGHTER IN CONNECTION WITH DISASTER

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 9.—An

ouncement was made today that the attorney general of British Columbia had laid indictments for manslaughter against Thomas Graham and J. H. Tonkin, two mining men, prominent in Canada. They are charged with carelessness in connection with the disaster that caused the loss of 19 lives in the Reserve mine near Nanaimo on Feb. 15 last.

BIG LAWN FETE OPENED

SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION CONDUCTS BIG EVENT ON BUTLER GROUNDS THIS AFTERNOON

Under the most promising weather conditions, the lawn fete held by the Lowell Equal Suffrage Association was opened this afternoon on the beau-

tiful grounds of the Butler estate, An-

dover street with a large attendance.

The decorations were unusually stir-

king, consisting for the most part of

American and suffrage flags and clus-

ters of goldenrod. The feature this af-

ternoon was an exhibition of dancing

under the direction of Miss Blanche

Perrin. This evening there will be a

pop concert and other specialties. There

are many booths, and great activi-

ty. A large attendance is anticipated this evening.

The largest Tango cloth in New Eng- land can be hired from the Cross Awning Co., Dutton street. Also canoes for weddings, receptions, funerals, etc. Large and small tents to let.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SAUNDERS'

FINE FISH FOR FRIDAY

Large Fresh Cocktail SHORE HADDOCK, Lb. 3½c

Tinker Mackerel .3 Fish 10c
Sword Fish, lb.14c
Butter Fish, lb.12c
Blander Mackerel, each....45c
Smoked Halibut, lb.10c
Salt Herring3 Fish 10c

Steaming Hot Home-made CLAM CHOWDER, Qt. 5c

Medium Mackerel, each....10c
Blood Red Salmon, lb.12c
Black Back Flounders, lb.10c
Market Cod, lb.6c
Salt Salmon, lb.12c
Salt Mackerel, each....5c

HALIBUT STEAK, 11c Lb.

Pork and Beans, 3 for 25c

Clams in the Shell, qt....5c

DYSTERs, solid meats, Pt.20c

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MAN WAS RUN OVER BY BAR HARBOR EXPRESS

Frank Patterson, an Electrician, Lost Both Legs—Is in Serious Condition

With both legs amputated and his arms covered with abrasions, Frank Patterson, an electrician residing at 101 Medford street, Malden, was brought to this city about 3:30 this morning on the Bar Harbor express, by which he was run over in the vicinity of Ayer Junction, a short time before. The train was met at the Middlesex street station by the ambulance, which conveyed Patterson to St. John's hospital. For several hours he lay unconscious, but about 10:30 o'clock rallied and is now resting as comfortably as can be expected.

Little information could be learned of the accident. Local railroad off-

icer had not heard of it when interviewed, by The Sun and at the hospital Patterson stated this noon that he did not know how he was injured. He remembered being in Ayer Junction but was unable to give exact facts.

It is believed that he was waiting for a train near the Ayer Junction station and was struck by the fast ex-

press.

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HIS PASSPORT CANCELLED

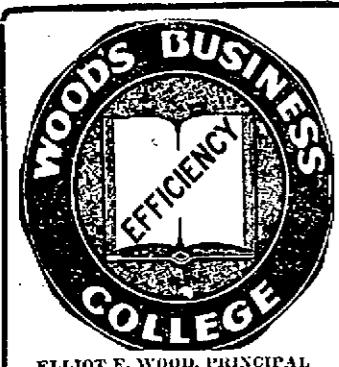
Lansing Orders Action in Archibald Case — Latter Carried Papers for Dr. Dumba

WASHINGTON. Sept. 9.—Secretary Lansing has cancelled the passports of Dr. J. F. Archibald, the American correspondent, upon whom British secret service men found communications from Dr. Constantine Dumba, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador, to his foreign office on the subject of mounting strikes in American munitions plants. Archibald now is at Rotterdam and Minister Van Dyke has been instructed to issue an emergency passport to permit his return to the United States, where the department of justice probably will be called upon to decide if he has violated any law of the United States in acting as a messenger for one of the European belligerents.

Cancellation of Archibald's passport is the first official action in a diplomatic situation, which it has been suggested might possibly extend so far as to cause the departure of Dr. Dumba from this country.

American government officials were amazed at the disclosures which followed Archibald's detention at Falmouth and were particularly annoyed that an American passport had been used to carry what practically amounts to military information.

Dr. Dumba has made his explanation to Secretary Lansing, saying that the only instructions from his govern-



ELLIOT F. WOOD, PRINCIPAL

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Best Butter, lb.....	28c
Good Butter, lb.....	25c
Fresh Western Eggs, doz.	22c
Salt Pork, lb.....	.9c
Whole Ham, lb.....	12c
Smoked Shoulder, lb....	9½c, 11c
Pure Lard, lb.....	10c
Sugar, lb.....	6c
Sweet Corn, doz.....	10c, 12½c
Rolled Oats, 7 lbs. for.....	25c
Pastry Flour	80c
Leg Lamb, lb.....	15c, 18c
Lemons, doz.....	8c
Fresh Killed Fowl, lb....	16c, 18c
Peaches, doz.....	10c

We have all kinds of FLOUR that we sell at the Lowest Prices.
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AFTER STOCK-TAKING SALE

We took stock Thursday and found too many Coats, too many Suits, too many Dresses and too many Waists, etc. ALL go on sale FRIDAY and SATURDAY at most ridiculous prices.



All Wash Skirts, Cloth Skirts, Raincoats, Kimonos, Bath Robes, Summer Dresses must go at prices you never dreamed of

One lot of Coats. While they last at \$1.00

One lot of Coats. While they last at \$2.00

One lot of Coats. While they last at \$3.00

STYLISH FULL LINED COATS, good values, at three times the price asked, after stock taking sale, Friday and Saturday \$5.00

Don't miss this opportunity of getting a coat. It is worth while to buy two coats at these prices.

One Lot of Suits Friday and Saturday at \$3.98

SPECIAL—CAN YOU BEAT THIS?

Silk Dresses
While They \$3
Last

About 25 in the lot. Some sold up to \$20. We are bound to clean them out as our method is, we carry nothing over.

10 Dozen Waists that sold up to \$1.00. This sale 29c

5 Dozen Silk Waists in Jap., Crepe de Chine, etc., that sold up to \$3.00. At this sale \$1.29

7 Dozen Lingerie Waists that sold from \$1 to \$1.50. At this sale 59c

27 Serge Dresses, regular up to \$10. After stock taking sale \$2.85

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he is asking for his land and the reply was in the negative, but the solicitor said he is willing to give Mr. Varnum every dollar he can. At the conclusion of the conference the council repaired to the councilmanic chamber and held a regular meeting, the meeting being called at 10:30 o'clock, with all members present but Commissioner Carmichael. The first matter taken up was a requisition from the health department to purchase 15 tons of No. 1 loose hay and it was so voted. Commissioner Putnam was authorized to purchase gas fixtures for the Varnum school. The meeting adjourned until Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

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Mr. Varnum: "I will sell the 49 acres for \$125 an acre and the 33 acres for \$200 an acre."

Mr. Varnum said during the past few days he has figured up what revenues he gets from his farm and he gave out the following statement:

"We planted four acres of squash on this land and this will yield about \$400. We raised 600 bushels of turnips at 40 cents a bushel; also 400 barrels of apples at \$1 a barrel; three acres of corn at about \$100 an acre. On another acre I have picked 250 bushels of corn valued at \$100. I have raised 15 tons of hay at \$20 a ton, while pasturing on that lot I estimate to keep about 25 cows, which is estimated at worth \$150.

The whole amount comes to \$1300. If you figure what the interest of that money is you will find what the income of that land is. I also have to consider the effect of a hospital of that nature on real estate. I feel it will be quite a damage to my real estate, and I am much surprised that there is no remonstrance. You have been kicked around on this hospital proposition and finally you come to my home. I have received letters signed "neighbors," which are not fit to read.

Mr. Varnum then referred to a right of way from his land and said in order to get it he was forced to purchase more land. I have purchased this way as I intended building on the land.

The mayor said Mr. Varnum might get good natured and give the land to the city. Mr. Varnum said at one time he gave the city eight acres for the boulevard and the only return he received was full taxation. He also said he is 79 years of age and never had a case in court, "and I don't want to start court litigations now," continued Mr. Varnum, "but I may have to do so unless I get a fair price for my land." He then said his neighbors are much worked up over the proposed sewer for the locality.

He said by disposing of his land he loses his pasture and this will do away with his milk business, for he is now keeping about 50 cows.

The mayor asked the city solicitor if the city can pay Mr. Varnum what

the amount of the land and the solicitor said the matter could be arranged in a compromise. He said the first appropriation cannot exceed 25 per cent more than the assessed value of the property. The mayor asked if after the first money is paid, that is the 25 per cent over the value, if in the event of a suit being brought against the city, if the balance of the price asked for by Mr. Varnum could be paid, and the solicitor replied the city could not be forced to go to court.

Mayor Murphy said the council will proceed to take the 33 acres and pay him 25 per cent over the value and then let the affair take its course.

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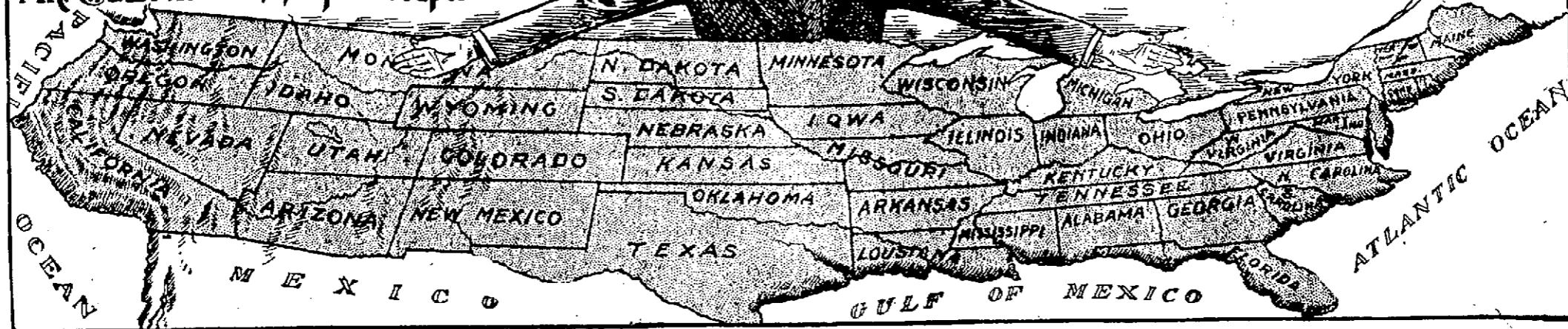
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SUITS, COATS, SKIRTS, ETC.

50 SUITS in all wool serges, gabardines, poplin and imported novelty materials; all are finely tailored, and we have sizes up to 44 bust; \$15.00 to \$22.50 values.....**Mill End Sale Price \$10 and \$12.50**

BALANCE OF WASH DRESSES in voile, tissue, percale, linen and rayon; value up to \$5.00.....**Mill End Sale Price \$1.00**

NEW SERGE SKIRTS, black and blue, several styles, and they are \$2.95 values.....**Mill End Sale Price \$1.98**

WASH SKIRTS in pique, linen and beach cloth, white and tan, also pure natural linen. Belt measure 22 and 25. Value to \$1.98.....**Mill End Sale Price 50c**

50 NEW SAMPLE COATS, only one of a kind, including many foreign mixtures. There will be no duplicates. Sizes 16 to 36. Values up to \$25.00.

Mill End Sale Price \$12.50 and \$15

MILL END SALE OF WAISTS

Lingerie Waists, made of voile and muslin, trimmed with lace and embroideries, broken lots and counter milled, mostly all samples, very good values, worth \$1. Mill end sale price.....\$1.50

Lingerie Waists. Special lot of waists for this sale, made of organdy, voile and muslin, dainty and stylish, trimmed with lace, embroidery and tucks, broken sizes, long and short sleeves, flat and convertible collars, worth \$1.50. Mill end sale price.....\$1.50

Silk Waists in all the newest shades and materials, broken lots and sizes, long and short sleeves, flat and convertible collars, worth \$2.95. Mill end sale price.....\$1.50

MILL END SALE OF SILKS

27-inch Seco Silk, plain and dotted, full line of colors, regular price 25c. Mill end sale price 15c
27-inch Fancy Fouillard Silk, regular price 25c. Mill end sale price 15c

19-inch Striped and Checked Messaline, regular price 49c. Mill end sale price.....49c
25-inch Shantung Silk, regular price 50c. Mill end sale price 39c

20-inch Fancy Taffeta, regular price 69c and 75c. Mill end sale price.....49c
36-inch Black Taffeta, regular price \$1.25. Mill end sale price 89c

MILL END SALE OF DRESS GOODS

36-inch Poplin Cloth, in all the new shades, regular price 39c. Mill end sale price.....25c

40-inch Suiting, sponged and shrank, regular price 75c. Mill end sale price.....59c

25-inch French Serge, all wool, regular price 50c. Mill end sale price.....49c

37-inch Wool Serge, in all the new shades, regular price 50c. Mill end sale price.....39c

MILL END SALE OF MILLINERY

Black Velvet Hats, 12 of the season's best shapes, best quality velvet, value \$1.98. Mill end sale price.....98c

50 Dozen French Ostrich Plumes. Specified specially for this sale. This plume is 18 inches long, nine inches wide with broad head. Colors. Value \$3.50. Mill end sale price.....1.49

100 Trimmed Hats, made of good quality velvet, trimmed with fancies, flowers, jet, silver trimmings, etc., season's best shapes, value \$5.98. Mill end sale price.....\$3.89

.25 Dozen Children's Hats, suitable for school wear, one dozen styles, value 15c. Mill end sale price.....99c

White and Colored Felt Hats in large and small sizes, value 69c. Mill end sale price.....48c

Lyon Silk Velvet Hats, trimmed with ostrich fancies, 12 new styles, value \$1.50. Mill end sale price.....69c

35c Hodge's Fiber Matting, 1 yard wide. Mill End Sale Price 19c. Mill End Sale Price.....59c

MILL END SALE OF CORSETS

Corsets made of coutil, low and medium bust, with hose supporters, regular price 69c. Mill end sale price.....50c

Corsets of good quality coutil, with cork protector and double hose supporters, sizes 18" to 30, regular price \$1. Mill end sale price.....69c

MILL END SALE OF GLOVES

16-Button Silk Gloves, in black, white, pink, blue, navy, gray and tan, all double finger tips, regular price \$1. Mill end sale price 69c pair

2-Clasp Chamois Suede Gloves, in white and natural, regular price 25c. Mill end sale price, 19c pair

Kid Gloves, 2-clasp, in black, white, tan and gray, regular price \$1. Mill end sale price 69c pair

Heavy Cape Gloves, 1-clasp, in all the new tan shades, regular price \$1.25. Mill end sale price 89c pair

NOTE: All mattresses are made under our own supervision and are guaranteed perfectly sanitary.

MILL END SALE OF CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Infants' Long Cashmere Capes, silk lined hood, regular price \$2.50. Mill end sale price.....\$1.98

Infants' Long Slips, regular price 50c. Mill end sale price 25c

Children's Cotton and Wool Shirts, seconds, regular price 25c. Mill end sale price.....15c

Children's Rompers, 2 to 6 years, regular 50c value. Mill end sale price.....29c

Children's Dresses, 2 to 6 years, regular 50c value. Mill end sale price.....29c

Children's Colored Dresses, 6 to 14 years, new fall styles, regular price \$1.50. Mill end sale price 98c

Children's Rain Capes, navy and red, regular price \$1.98. Mill end sale price.....\$1.00

MILL END SALE OF HODGE'S FIBER RUGS AND MATTING

\$6.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 6x9. Mill End Sale Price.....\$3.95

\$7.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 7x8x10-6. Mill End Sale Price \$4.45

\$9.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 8x8x10-6. Mill End Sale Price \$4.95

\$10.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 9x12. Mill End Sale Price.....\$5.45

\$1.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 30x60. Mill End Sale Price.....98c

\$2.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 36x12. Mill End Sale Price.....1.25

\$1.25 All Fiber Rugs, size 36x12. Mill End Sale Price.....69c

\$10.60 Big Heavy Bed, 2 inch continuous posts, white or oxidized. Mill End Sale Price.....\$2.50 Each

MILL END SALE OF Room Size Rugs in All Grades

\$13.50 Tapestry Brussels Rugs, size 8x10-6. Mill End Sale Price.....\$9.95

\$15.00 Tapestry Brussels Rugs, size 8x10-6. Mill End Sale Price.....\$10.95

\$13.50 Tapestry Brussels Rugs, size 9x12. Mill End Sale Price.....\$9.95

\$16.00 Tapestry Brussels Rugs, size 9x12. Mill End Sale Price.....\$10.95

\$22.50 Axminster Rugs, size 8x12. Mill End Sale Price.....\$15.95

\$27.50 Axminster Rugs, size 9x12. Mill End Sale Price.....\$17.95

\$15.00 All Silk Floss Mattresses, guaranteed full weight and best ticking. Mill End Sale Price.....\$9.75

\$10 Empire Layer Felt Mattresses, for comfort and durability. Mill End Sale Price.....\$6.95

MILL END SPECIAL

\$15 All Silk Floss Mattresses, guaranteed full weight and best ticking. Mill End Sale Price.....\$9.75

\$10 Empire Layer Felt Mattresses, for comfort and durability. Mill End Sale Price.....\$6.95

MILL END SALE OF FLOOR OILCLOTHS AND LINOLEUMS

50 Floor Oilcloths, best quality made. Mill End Sale Price 35c Yd. 65c

55 Genuine Cork Linoleums, new fall patterns. Mill End Sale Price.....49c Yd.

MILL END SALE OF LINOLEUM SPECIAL

Genuine Cork Linoleums, 12 new patterns. Mill End Sale Price.....39c Yd.

MILL END SALE OF BRASS BEDS

\$10.00 All Brass Beds, 2 inch Colonial posts. Mill End Sale Price.....\$6.95

\$13.50 All Brass Beds, double top rails, satin finish. Mill End Sale Price.....\$9.95

\$18.00 All Brass Beds, 2 inch continuous posts. Mill End Sale Price.....\$12.95

\$22.00 All Brass Beds, 2 inch posts, heavy fillers. Mill End Sale Price.....\$15.95

\$22.00 All Brass Beds, fancy backs, satin finish. Mill End Sale Price.....\$15.95

\$27.50 All Brass Beds, 2 inch posts, heavy fillers. Mill End Sale Price.....\$19.95

\$30.00 All Brass Beds, 2 inch posts, 14 1-inch fillers. Mill End Sale Price.....\$19.95

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BED SPECIAL

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MILL END SALE OF SANITARY MATTRESSES

\$2.50 Soft Top Mattresses, one or two parts. Mill End Sale Price.....\$1.75

\$4.00 Soft Top and Bottom Mattresses, heavy ticking. Mill End Sale Price.....\$2.75

\$5.00 Combination Mattresses, fibre filling and cotton upholstered. Mill End Sale Price.....\$3.75

\$7.50 All White Cotton Mattresses, art ticking. Mill End Sale Price.....\$5.45

\$10 Empire Layer Felt Mattresses, for comfort and durability. Mill End Sale Price.....\$6.95

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MILL END SALE OF BED SPRINGS

\$2.00 Guaranteed National Bed Springs, wood or iron beds, all sizes. Mill End Sale Price.....\$1.59

75c Genuine Cork Linoleums, beautiful designs and colors. Mill End Sale Price.....59c

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MILL END SALE OF BLANKETS AND COMFORTERS

50-74 Inch 75c a pair cotton Blankets, white and gray. Mill End Sale Price.....\$9c pair

55-66 Inch 98c a pair cotton Blankets, white and gray. Mill End Sale Price.....\$10c pair

61-80 Inch \$1.20 a pair cotton Blankets, white and gray. Mill End Sale Price.....\$11c pair

61-78 Inch \$1.20 a pair wool fleece Blankets, white and tan. Mill End Sale Price.....\$11.75 pair

66-80 Inch \$2.50 a pair wool nap Blankets, white, gray and tan. Mill End Sale Price.....\$2.10 pair

70-82 Inch \$3.50 a pair wool nap Blankets, white, gray and tan. Mill End Sale Price.....\$3.10 pair

76-90 Inch \$4.50 a pair wool nap Blankets, white, gray and tan. Mill End Sale Price.....\$4.10 pair

70-84 Inch \$5.50 a pair wool nap Blankets, white, gray and tan. Mill End Sale Price.....\$5.10 pair

76-90 Inch \$6.50 a pair wool nap Blankets, white, gray and tan. Mill End Sale Price.....\$6.10 pair

76-90 Inch \$7.50 a pair wool nap Blankets, white, gray and tan. Mill End Sale Price.....\$7.10 pair

76-90 Inch \$8.50 a pair wool nap Blankets, white, gray and tan. Mill End Sale Price.....\$8.10 pair

76-90 Inch \$9.50 a pair wool nap Blankets, white, gray and tan. Mill End Sale Price.....\$9.10 pair

76-90 Inch \$10.50 a pair wool nap Blankets, white, gray and tan. Mill End Sale Price.....\$10.10 pair

ROBBED AT GUN POINT**BARBED WIRE AND FORTIFICATIONS
SEEN THROUGH FIELD GLASSES**

**STORE HELD UP AT NORTH SAUGUS
AND ATTEMPT TO STOP AUTO
PARTY CAUSE EXCITEMENT**

SAUGUS, Sept. 9.—The robbery of a store in North Saugus, shortly followed by the attempted holdup of an automobile party near the Saugus-Wakefield line, caused much excitement here last night and has started the police of this town and Wakefield on the hunt for the robber or robbers.

At 9:30 last night, when no street car was due for some time, a young man entered the variety store and waiting room of Howard F. Kelley at No. 50, Saugus and, finding the proprietor alone, asked him for some cream cakes. Kelley was out of cream cakes, so the visitor said he would take two pounds of crackers.

As Kelley was wrapping up the package he noticed his customer edging toward him, and looking up he saw two revolvers pointed at his body and heard the order to throw up his hands. At first he thought it a joke, but the young man again ordered him to throw up his hands or be shot, and to hand over his money.

Kelley tried to make for a ladder leading to his bedroom, where he kept a loaded revolver, but the robber made him stop and, opening the cash register took \$10 in bills and some change, and ran off. Kelley then hurried to his room, got the revolver and, climbing out on the roof, fired five shots at the fugitive without effect.

Later he called Special Officer William Parker of the Saugus police, who with Other Thompson and others started to hunt for the young man.

It is supposed that the young robber had a companion outside watching the door, for soon after this robbery an automobile party, driving through North Saugus from Lynn, was ordered to stop by two armed young men. The chauffeur increased the car's speed and the party was soon out of revolver range, though no shots are known to have been fired.

OFF FOR THE CAUCASUS

Grand Duke Nicholas and His Staff Left for New Field Last Evening—
Car at Station

LONDON, Sept. 9, 8:17 a. m.—A runner despatch from Petrograd says that Grand Duke Nicholas and his headquarters staff started for the Caucasus last evening. Emperor Nicholas went to the railroad station to say farewell to the new viceroy.

EX-PRES. TAFT THE SPEAKER

Give a Talk on "Economic and Political Summary of Generation Just Closing"

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 9.—An address by William H. Taft, former president giving an "economic and political summary of the generation just closing," was the feature of the closing session today of the 41st annual convention of the American Bankers association. It is believed that James K. Lynch of San Francisco would be chosen president and Peter W. Goebel of Kansas City, Mo., vice president. Indications were that Col. Fred E. Farnsworth of New York would be reelected secretary and H. P. Gatling of New York, treasurer.

It was generally thought that Kan-



GERMAN OFFICER LOOKING THROUGH FIELD GLASS AND VIEW SEEN BY HIM

BERLIN, Sept. 9.—Among the careful preparations of the German army authorities in equipping the soldiers was the provision of an ample supply of excellent field glasses for the officers who might require them. Observation of the enemy's positions is rendered thereby far more easy and results are observed in increased accuracy of artillery fire. Photographs received from the Russian front near Sochaczew, show officers observing the Russian positions and views of barbed wire entanglements, fortifications, etc., as seen through the glasses.

BILLERICA

VON BERNHARDI AT FRONT

THE FAMOUS GERMAN MILITARY WRITER IS ASSIGNED TO A FIELD COMMAND

BERLIN, Sept. 9, via London, 11:30 a. m.—General Friedrich A. J. von Bernhardi at his own request has been assigned to a field command by Emperor William. He has already left for the front.

Gen. von Bernhardi is one of the best known military writers of Germany. In a book entitled "Germany and the Next War" written in 1912, he forecasted many of the main features of the present campaign. Before going to the front he served as commander of the Fifteenth army corps, which consists of home units.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to my friends and relatives who by their acts of kindness, words of comfort and kind words helped to lighten the burden of sorrow in the death of my brother, Joseph Hamel. Assure all that I deeply appreciate all kindnesses.

Geo. Hamel.

**School Children
Can't Afford Handicaps**

In a remarkable test, recently made under the supervision of the State Board of Health of Minnesota, over 9000 school children were questioned as to what they ate for breakfast.

A large percentage of the breakfasts consisted of coffee, bread and butter; coffee and oatmeal or some other cereal; coffee and hotcakes; coffee and biscuits; coffee and coffee cake, or coffee alone. Probably the same conditions prevail everywhere throughout the country.

**"IS IT ANY WONDER," SAYS THE EXAMINING PHYSICIAN,
"THAT 23 PER CENT. OF THESE CHILDREN HAVE FREQUENT HEADACHES?"**

He was thinking of the chief cause—coffee. And it IS no wonder when we consider that coffee contains the powerful drug, caffeine, a nerve poison and notorious cause of headaches, heart trouble, sleeplessness, irritation and other ills!

Parents often wonder why their children are sickly, dull and backward in school, when frequently the cause lies in the homely, accepted habit of giving them a beverage containing an insidious poison.

When scientists and Boards of Health everywhere are speaking out against the dietary dangers to which children have been so long subjected, it is high time that parents take heed and correct these conditions. No child should be permitted to use coffee. It is easy to furnish them instead the pleasant, pure food-drink—

Instant Postum

Made from wheat, roasted with a bit of wholesome molasses, Postum contains the goodness of the grain and is a most delicious beverage, economical, convenient and free from coffee drugs or any other harmful substance.

Postum comes in two forms: The original Postum Cereal, which has to be boiled; Instant Postum—soluble—made in the cup with hot water—instantly. They are equally delicious, and the cost per cup is about the same for both kinds.

Postum for Children Avoids Coffee Troubles!

"There's a Reason"

**BROTHERS TAKE VOWS
VILNA, MENACED BY TEUTON
ADVANCE ON IMPORTANT CITY**

**BRENT AT OBLATE NOVITiate
MARKED BY IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY—YOUNG MEN JOIN ORDER**

The annual retreat of the fathers and brothers of the Oblate Novitiate in Tewksbury closed yesterday morning with a very impressive ceremony at which sixteen young men pronounced their vows.

This retreat was conducted in a very able manner by Rev. T. Franklin Wood, O. M. I., of the Sacred Heart church, who displayed untiring zeal in promoting its success.

The Very Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., provincial, officiated at the ceremony and was assisted by the Rev. E. J. Strauss, O. M. I., the new superior of the Tewksbury scholasticate. Rev. Fr. Wood, addressing the candidates, portrayed the nobility of the sacrifice they were making, its dignities and its duties, and closed by congratulating them and their relatives on their decision to devote their lives to the work of the Master.

Vows were taken by brothers as follows: perpetual, J. M. English, O. M. I., of Groveland, Mass.; T. F. Curry, O. M. I., of North Chelmsford; A. E. Merritt, O. M. I., of Lawrence; F. J. Hill, O. M. I., of Buffalo; J. B. McCarron, O. M. I., of Lowell. Second year vows: C. H. Strassberger, O. M. I., of Buffalo; J. J. O'Sullivan, O. M. I., of Lawrence; C. J. McCullough, O. M. I., of Ontario; T. J. Coffey, O. M. I., and G. F. Fox, O. M. I., of South Boston; J. A. Cooley, O. M. I., of Buffalo; W. W. Noonan, O. M. I., and H. P. Brennan, O. M. I., of Lowell. First year vows: A. A. Unger, O. M. I., of Ottawa and J. J. Powers, O. M. I., of Ontario. Three year vows: F. J. Murphy, O. M. I., of Dorchester.

REPAIR WRONG SCHOOL

**THROUGH MISUNDERSTANDING
DODGEVILLE IS GIVEN HE-BRONVILLE'S WORK**

ATTELEROGO, Sept. 8.—Through a misunderstanding of orders the Dodgeville kindergarten school has been renovated and Hebronville, where the appropriation should have been expended, is wondering where it comes in, in improvements promised.

The school is set up on the contract recently and in due time received word from the contractor that everything has been fixed up O. K., though the work was more extensive than anticipated by the workmen.

Members of the school committee started out yesterday to inspect the job. When they entered the Hebronville kindergarten the officials poked each other to see if they were awake.

No signs of repairs were in evidence. The longer the men pondered, the greater the mystery.

On the way home the officials incidentally stopped in at the Dodgeville school. The joke was disclosed, for a nicely renovated kindergarten met their view.

What Hebronville has lost Dodgeville has gained, so it's an ill wind that doesn't blow somebody good. Dodgeville feels.

CENTRALVILLE M. E. CHURCH

There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Centralville M. E. church held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. E. Swapp, 519 Beacon st., with Mrs. Russell Fox and Mrs. Swapp as hostesses. Routine business was discussed and two new members were admitted. The captain of the self-denial contest reported that the Red team had won, and the matter of holding a supper preceding the second and third quarterly conference on Wednesday, Sept. 22, was discussed. Piano solos were given by Miss Mildred Beals and refreshments were served.

FRED YELLE BEATS TOM MOORE

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 9.—Fred Yelle of Taunton, Mass., bested Tommy Moore of this city in the main bout at the Rhode Island A. C. here last night. Yelle led all the way and outside of the 12th round had a big advantage. In the semi-final, Eddie Ketchel of Grand Rapids got the decision over Charley Perrill of New York.

THE BUREAU OF MINES

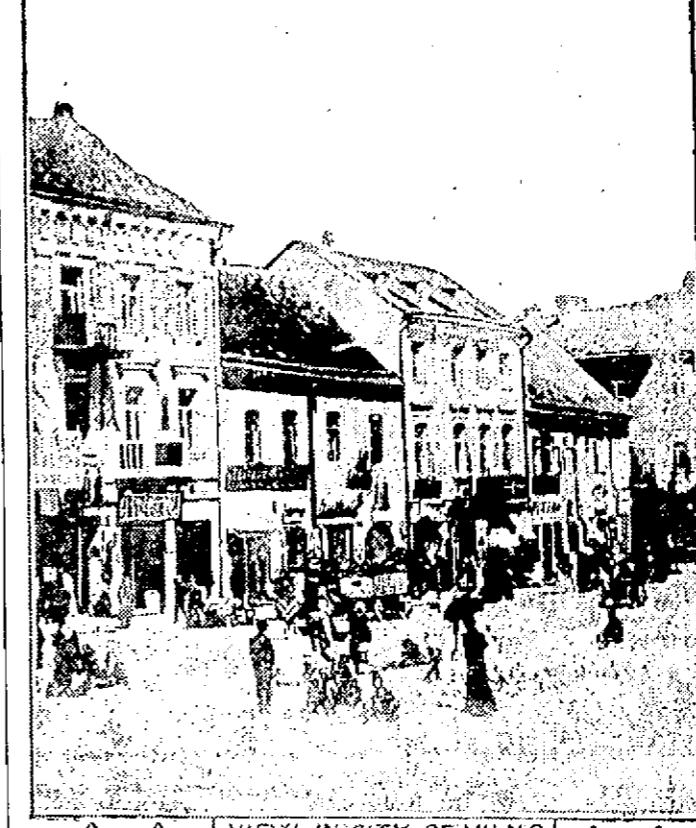
VAN H. MANNING, NEW HEAD, WAS BORN IN HORN LAKE DEPOT, MISS., DEC. 15, 1861

Vannoy H. Manning, the new head of the bureau of mines, was born in Horn Lake Depot, Miss., Dec. 15, 1861. His father, Vannoy H. Manning, Sr., represented the Second Mississippi district in congress. He holds the



VAN H. MANNING

degree of A. B. from the University of Mississippi. He is married and has two children. For more than twenty years he was engaged in technical and scientific work in the department of the interior. From 1885 to 1910, as civil engineer in the United States geological survey, he engaged in topographic mapping in nearly every state in the Union. In addition to scientific work he has long held administrative positions in the government service.

**VILNA, MENACED BY TEUTON
ADVANCE ON IMPORTANT CITY**

VIEW IN CITY OF VILNA

PETROGRAD, Sept. 9.—The city of Vilna, threatened by the advance of the Teutonic forces in the northerly section of the Russo-German war front, lies to the southeast of Kovno, recently captured by Von Hindenburg's troops. It was formerly the capital of Lithuania and is now the capital of the government of Vilna. It has extensive manufactures and a considerable trade and a population of about 100,000.

GIRL CRUSHED TO DEATH

**LARGE AUTO TRUCK PINNED
HELEN McCARTHY, AGED 15,
AGAINST IRON UPRIGHT**

BOSTON, Sept. 9.—Helen McCarthy, the 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McCarthy of 832 Parker street, Roxbury, was instantly killed late yesterday afternoon by a heavy auto truck, which crushed her against one of the iron uprights of the elevated structure, near which she was

standing on Washington street, near Columbus avenue, in Ingleside square.

Miss Elizabeth Kent, aged 16 years, of Hayden street, Roxbury, who was with the McCarthy girl, and Robert J. Stewart, aged 16 years, of 24 West Walnut park, Roxbury, who was standing nearby at the time also were injured slightly by the big auto truck, which was driven by Rowell W. Ash.

Ash was immediately placed under arrest by Patrolman Michael L. King of the Dudley street police station, and after an investigation by the police, he was booked on the charge of manslaughter. About 11 o'clock last night Frank T. Fay, a representative of the Boston office of the Standard Oil company of New York, by which Ash

is employed, came to the station house and Ash was given his liberty on \$1,000 bonds.

TENDERED SHOWER
Miss Leonne Achin, who will be married to Maurice Brassard, a well known drug clerk at the Lowell pharmacy, next Tuesday morning, was tendered a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening, the affair being held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irene Mineau, 124 Germantown avenue. The event was attended by about 50 lady friends of the young woman and all spent a most enjoyable evening.

In the early part of the evening Miss Irene Mineau read an address and among the many things presented the future bride was a handsome cathedral glass dome. A musical program was given and a buffet luncheon was served. The organizer of the affair was a close friend of Miss Achin, Miss Mineau.

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About \$2500 worth of the best known shoes for Men and Boys, Women and Children, at prices which are 1-3 and more below the regular. An extremely well selected stock in good sizes, from reliable manufacturers, and styles that are most desired.

MEN'S HIGH GRADE SHOES—Packard's, Commonwealth, Brockton and other well known makes, in all the real up-to-date shapes and leathers; wide widths. O'Brien's price \$4.00 and \$4.50. Sale price, a pair, only **\$2.85**

MEN'S SHOES of McElwain, John Mitchell and other makes, in a broad variety of styles and leathers; quite a number of pairs of black and tan vici kid in this lot. O'Brien's prices \$3.00 and \$3.50. Sale price, a pair, only **\$2.49**

MEN'S BLACK OR TAN HEAVY SHOES—Made for service; mostly all Goodyear welts. O'Brien's prices \$2.50 and \$3. Sale price, a pair, only **\$1.98**

MEN'S SLIPPERS in all styles, including Romeo, in black or tan vici; some are full leather lined, all wide widths, and every pair a turn stitched shoe. O'Brien's prices \$1.50 and \$2.00. Sale price, a pair, only **98c**

BOYS' SHOES on good fitting style lasts, made for service. O'Brien's price \$1.75. Sale price, a pair, only **\$1.25**

On account of the good sizes and widths and from the fact that these are practically all fall and winter shoes, the above prices show some of the most marked economies of the year—values that are rarely duplicated at any time.

BOYS' SHOES—Just the thing for school wear for small boys. O'Brien's price \$1.25. Sale price, a pair, only **98c**

WOMEN'S P. J. HARNEY SHOES, in a number of styles, in gun metal and patent sole, buttoned, with pull or cloth tops, C and D widths; all sizes 2 1/2 to 6. O'Brien's prices \$3.50 and \$4.00. Sale price, a pair, only **\$2.29**

WOMEN'S SHOES in a good assortment of lasts; made in gun metal, patent sole and tan leathers, featuring the best toes and heels; all sizes, good widths. O'Brien's price \$2.50. Sale price, only **\$1.85**

WOMEN'S SHOES in odd lots, all leathers and different styles; a good assortment of sizes. O'Brien's price \$2.00. Sale price, a pair, only **\$1.29**

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES—Just the sort for School—in button and blucher styles. O'Brien's prices \$1.25 and \$1.50. Sale price, a pair, only **98c**

CHILDREN'S SHOES in gun metal and vici kid, in button and blucher. O'Brien's price \$1. Sale price, a pair, only **79c**

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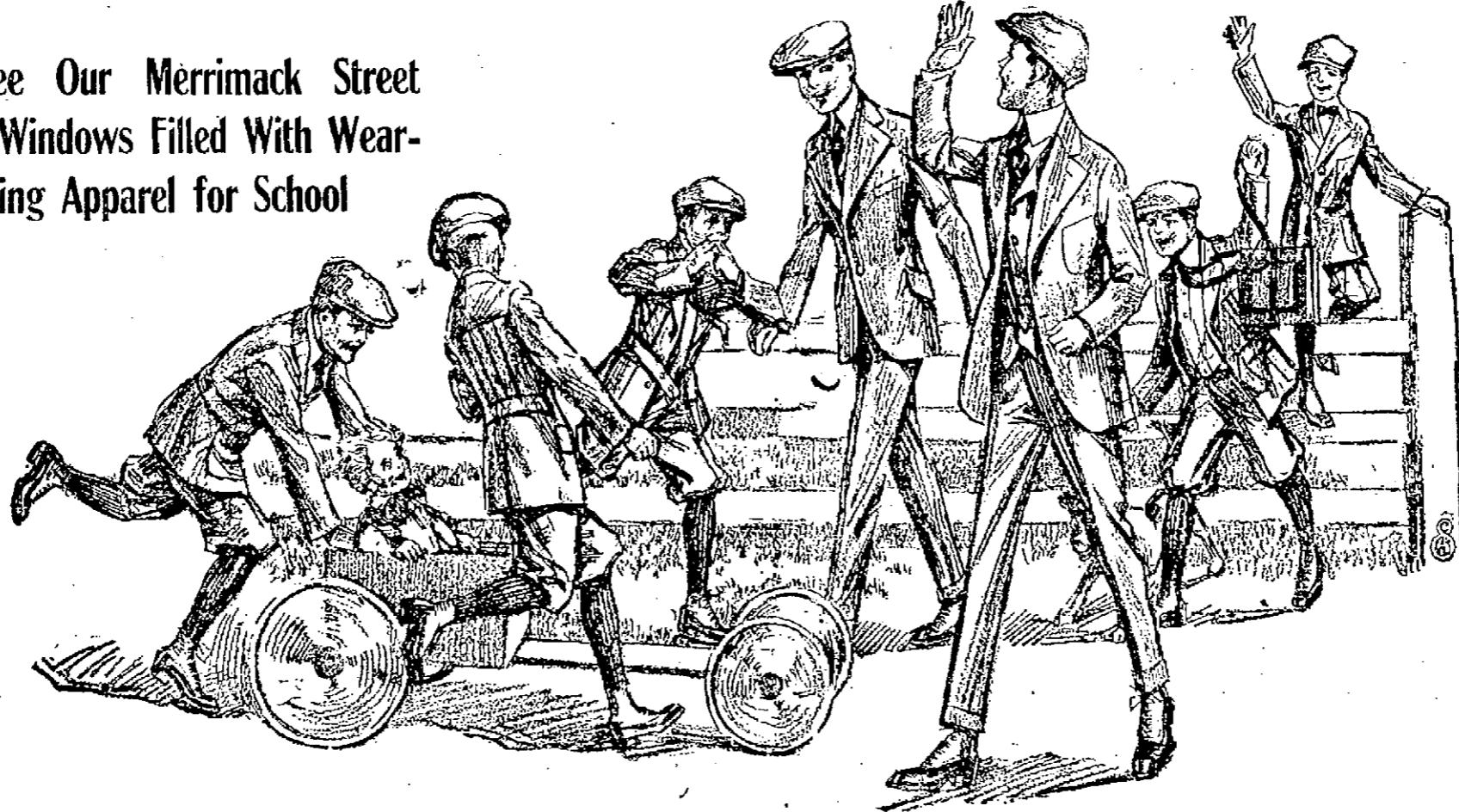
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Coats are cut snug and high
waisted, plain or patch
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Vests athletic cut with or
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cut, plain or cuff bottom.
Prices range from

**\$6.50 to
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Made of strong durable yarn, fast
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top, double heel and toe, sizes 5
to 10, in black, white and tan.
Specially priced
at **11c**

Children's 1x1 rib Black Cotton
Hose, three thread, shaped ankle,
double foot, sizes 6 1-2 to 8 1-2.
Regular 25c quality. **17c**
Marked

Children's Black Cat Hose, guaran-
teed to give satisfaction or a new
pair, medium fine and heavy
weight, double sole, heel and toe,
triple knee, sizes 6 to
11 1/2. Marked **25c**



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Boys' Shirts.....	25c, 49c	Boys' Underwear	25c, 50c
Boys' Caps.....	25c, 50c	Boys' Union Suits	50c, \$1.00
Boys' Blouses.....	25c, 45c	Boys' Suspenders,	10c, 15c, 25c
Boys' Neckwear.....	10c, 25c		
Boys' Sweaters.....	50c, \$3.00	Boys' Hats,	25c, 50c, \$1, \$1.50
Boys' Belts.....	10c, 25c		

SERVICEABLE SCHOOL HOES

Little Boys' School Shoes, made of satin calf, blucher
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Boys' School Shoes, double soles, blucher
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Girls' School Shoes, in gun metal, lace and button, nature
shape lasts, all sizes up to 2.
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REMOVAL OF GRAND DUKE

BERLIN PAPER PAYS TRIBUTE TO HIM AS A BRAVE AND HONOR- ABLE ENEMY AND ABLE LEADER

BERLIN, Sept. 9, via London, 12:23
p.m.—The removal of Grand Duke
Nicholas from the commandantship in
chief of the Russian armies is the text
of long articles in Berlin newspapers
this morning. The Tagblatt says the

grand duke was removed because, not-
withstanding his undeniably gifts in
the strategy of retreating, he bears
the responsibility for the Russian
catastrophe in Poland and Galicia.

A view more frequently expressed is
that the retirement of the grand duke
was dictated by political reasons and
aimed particularly at the party repre-
sented by the present Russian govern-
ment which had grown too strong.

The Lokal Anzeiger says that dis-
placement of the grand duke removes
the government party's strongest sup-
porters and is a loss to the army
which saw in him the appointed lead-
er. This newspaper pays a frank and

generous tribute to the former com-
mander in chief as a brave and hon-
orable enemy and an able leader.

The Marzgenist on the other hand
terms Grand Duke Nicholas "a brutal
and bloody man, without talent for
leadership, his land and his people." It
adds that the moment demands a
leader of titanic strength, and asserts
that "this complete cipher as a leader
of Russian armies," has been discredit-
ed by his defeats.

The Vossische Zeitung finds in Em-
peror Nicholas' move "final proof of
the approaching break down of the
army and state." It asserts that the
government, in view of repeated de-
feats, saw itself compelled to summon
new leaders for the army and that the

political position of the grand duke
made the decision of the emperor.

The Boerse Zeitung views the
change as having been directed
against certain coteries in the inner
political life of Russia and believes
it may be calculated also to impress
the other members of the quadruple
entente with the feeling that Russia
is doing everything possible to ward
off impending events.

The Tages Zeitung says: "One hard-
ly err in ascribing alone with the
military significance just as impor-
tant political significance to the
change. In the opinion of Dr. Giuseppe

Motta, president of Switzerland, who

chief,

has sustained a very real do-
feat."

"Past wars," President Motta is
quoted as saying, "affected only bel-
ligerents, but nowadays, owing to
growth, the change in ideals, habits
and customs there is a community
among peoples. The rupture of this
community by war between certain
states affects all the rest."

"The will of neutrals is less respect-
ed in time of war. It is not, then,
sufficient that they await the end of
the conflict. For them passiveness has
ceased to be a duty and energy has

become the proper policy. They have
a right to raise their voice against
war, because they are its victims. It
is legitimate for them to make their
influences because they are injured in
common, but the hour has not come
for that effort. Words like spent bul-
lets would glance off the armor of bel-
ligerents without penetrating it, but
armor finally becomes heavy even for
the strongest arms."

"The first sign of that fatigue will
not find Switzerland inattentive or hes-
itant. She will act in concert with
other neutral governments, convinced
as she is that the cause of peace is
the cause of all. Necessary peace is
not one which will be glorious, for it
cannot be glorious to all but equita-
ble justice alone is lasting in its ef-
fects."

SON OF IRISH M. P. DEAD

CAPT. FITZGIBBON, DASHING YOUNG SOLDIER, FELL IN FIGHT AT THE DARDANELLES

In the latest Irish papers received
there is chronicled the death of Capt.
Michael Fitzgibbon, son of Mr. John
Fitzgibbon, the Irish member of par-
liament, who, during the Boer War,
had divided his time between his
visits to this country.

Capt. Fitzgibbon, who was 20 years

old, was killed in the Dardanelles
fighting. Prior to his receiving his
commission of Lieutenant in the Fusiliers
on volunteering, he was a law
student.

He left recently with his division
for the Dardanelles, and before his de-
parture was gazetted captain. He was
only a week landed when he was
killed.

His father, John Fitzgibbon, was a
leader in the cattle driving campaign
of the Flanders, and brought up and the
families of the Flanders leaders.

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ciate Hall here with Mr. Redmond.

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SIGNS OF PROSPERITY

At the present time the trade papers and commercial journals are more optimistic than they have been for some time over the future of American business, and the newspapers of all sections are filled with indubitable evidences of returning prosperity. New England has been affected by this prosperity more than any other part of the country, but here too there are signs of better times. This growth has been gradual and sound, and it resembles more the normal advance of general business than any inflation arising from war conditions.

There are reports of improvement in the railroad situation, and earnings are greater. Building operations have been resumed, shown not only in the erection of large manufacturing plants but in the brisk sale of building materials. Munition orders are still swelling our output of manufactured products and the crop outlook is exceptionally good. All the large industries which are regarded as barometers are booming, and the depression which obtains in some parts of the country is for the greater part needless and imaginary. Basic conditions are sound and they are improving consistently.

It was feared in the south that the war situation would affect the cotton crop adversely but such does not appear to have been the case. It had been expected that Great Britain would put it on the contraband list and the market had made arrangements accordingly. The normal demand of Austria and Germany is about 2,600,000 bales, but increased demands in other quarters will eat this up and it is probable that the dual empire will buy considerable of the usual amount and store it until the war is over.

The textile industry has experienced great improvement and the textile journals are predicting unusual prosperity. The woolen mills are for the most part working on large orders for uniforms, blankets, etc., and the domestic trade is brisk. The cotton mills have been relieved from the burden of foreign competition, and their exports are greater than usual. The total value of cotton goods exported for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1915, was \$71,973,457 as compared with \$41,467,233 in the previous year, and conditions are far better now than then. Some embarrassment is being caused by the shortage of dye-stuffs, but that is passing, and when the war is over America will have recovered from its utter dependence on any foreign power for such a necessary commodity.

While the country can keep away from foreign complications, there is no cause for worry as to our business future, and the settlement of the difficulties with Germany is already reflected in better conditions. There still remains the trouble with Great Britain over the needless and illegal detention of American cargoes but this is not acute enough to presage a change in relations. All who speak with any business authority assure the country that prosperity is sure to develop more and more, and even New England is banking in the sun of trade extension.

While this is true, it is also true that there is a considerable feeling of conservatism and uncertainty in this section of the country. There is no need for it as there is every business inducement for the public to spend money liberally in the ways of trade. Needless hoarding of money is one of the most fruitful causes of industrial and commercial stagnation, and the New England public ought have no fear of the future which is more rosy than the most sanguine had anticipated a year ago.

THE BLUNDERING DUMBA

Austrian Ambassador Dumba made an unqualified blunder in striving to send a secret message to his government to the effect that Austrian subjects in this country should be forbidden to work in munition factories. It was a blunder in the deepest sense, but it was worse. It was an act which bordered on a crime against this country and it certainly was not in line with American neutrality which demands that the war of the old world be kept out of the new. Incidentally, it was a tactless proceeding, showing that Mr. Dumba's sense of diplomatic niceties is not over delicate, nor his personal honor deeply rooted. His offence may result in a complaint from President Wilson to the Austrian government, if not to his prompt recall.

So far as Austrian or Hungarian subjects in this country are concerned, it is unbelievable that our government should permit their being used as pawns in the war game. American law and American institutions come first, and any such command as Ambassador Dumba favored would be obnoxious to this country. If Austrian subjects in American factories obeyed such an order, deportation would be too good for them, and it would be entirely just to send them back to the government which claimed their first loyalty. America realizes that Austrians and Germans will sympathize with their respective governments, but they cannot be permitted to work against the true interests of America nor the dignity of the American government. The discovery of the dan-

tardly plot may make things so clear that foreign ambassadors and foreign residents from all nations may develop a higher sense of what is legitimate and proper on this side of the Atlantic in the present crisis. Ambassador Dumba is not a welcome guest and if he is sent home few will regret his departure.

GOLD NOT WANTED

New York bankers are not pleased at the method Great Britain is taking for the restoration of the credit in this country. Another shipment of gold coins to the value of \$65,000 is on its way to New York where the vaults are full of gold and at a time when the gold reserve in the national banks has reached a total of \$268,000,000. Financiers point out that there is great danger of an over supply which might be productive of just as much injury to the institutions of the country as a shortage. Consequently there is no enthusiasm over the great shipments of gold from England via Halifax, though the average citizen may look upon it as an evidence of rare good fortune.

If the great bankers of this country had their way they would like to have the allies raise large loans here at a good rate of interest, thus restoring their credit by a financial move that would bring great returns to this country. England shows no disposition to do this while she has gold in abundance, and very naturally in her international transactions she is more concerned with her own interests than with ours.

The allies still have large holdings of gold. The appeal of the French government to the people, to change their coin for paper money brought in over \$100,000,000 since May 27, and a similar request recently made by England increased the reserve in the bank of England enormously. The allies, therefore, prefer to pay in gold for their supplies and in consequence over \$200,000,000 in gold has been imported into this country since January last. This leaves America open to the danger of inflation and speculation, and it is being viewed with alarm by American bankers. The prominence of this country in international finance is well attested by this reluctance of American financiers to handle any more gold from Europe.

THE PARK COMMISSION

It is more pleasing to praise than to blame, and just as we were moved to condemn certain proclivities of park commissioners in the past, we are moved to commend the businesslike attitude of the park commissioners of the present. The regular meeting held Tuesday evening, made pleasant reading, and if the attitude manifested by all the members present keeps up we may expect an efficient administration of our park affairs.

There was a hearty spirit of cooperation and unity of purpose, and each committee reported intelligently and fully on the work accomplished during the season, or made sensible recommendations for the future.

Mr. Harvey B. Greene did graceful act in presenting recommendations for the committee on playgrounds that bespeak the thanks of those interested to all who aided the cause.

The playground work was unusually notable this year, and all who aided in the work deserved public praise. Mr. Clarence M. Weed made practical and workable recommendations which may be carried out without undue expenditure. He apparently realizes the futility of attempting schemes which would call for more money than is forthcoming. It is pleasant to hear park commissioners talk of beds of white lilles instead of indulging in petty bickerings and attacks that lead to permanent friction. Supt. Kieran also gave a consistent and intelligible monthly report showing that the small routine tasks of the department were well attended to, and Commissioner Rountree showed his characteristic zeal for upholding the dignity and efficiency of the body. Altogether it was a meeting which, if taken for a model, will raise the park department in the estimation of the public and restore confidence that was in danger of being dissipated.

JOINT USE OF POLES

The hearing on the petition of the Lowell Electric Light corporation and the Bay State company for joint pole locations on Gorham street seems to indicate that the necessity for doing away with as many poles as possible is dawning on our public service companies. It was brought out that not only the light and transportation companies but also the telephone company would use many poles jointly, thus being enabled to abandon a number of the poles now in use. It is inconceivable that the companies would have petitioned without ascertaining the feasibility of the plan, and if conditions are as represented, permission should be granted.

There is a movement all over the country for the elimination of as many poles as possible from the public

streets, and those which are found necessary are being designed more and more artistically. The most beautiful street is often defaced by a multiplicity of ugly poles with their complement of wires, and some effective improvements are marred by the same combination. Some Massachusetts cities have compelled the public service companies to use the poles jointly so as to do away with those that are not strictly necessary, but it is gratifying to find that our companies attend to this voluntarily. If the three local companies continue to eliminate poles that are not needed, there will be less talk of an ordinance which would force the putting of all wires underground.

THE OPEN ROAD

One of the sure laugh-producers in a play of last season was the reply of a worldly-minded woman who on being accused of not appreciating nature declared that she just loved Atlantic City. Her attitude of mind is by no means uncommon, for we have many such nature lovers. Every Sunday hundreds of people of this city get into their high power autos and dash through the country roads or by the beaches at great speed, thinking the while that they are enjoying nature. In a limited sense they are, but not in the way of the real nature lover. The man who would get the most out of the beauties of woodland, meadow, river and sky is he who faces for the open road and walks along contentedly, thinking and observing. This season is his delight. The roads are dry and solid, the air is keen and every step reveals new glories of the Keat's season of mellow fruitfulness. He who has trained himself to love the face of Nature will be content on the open road, even though the lovely cars whiz by in scores, aye destined for the beautiful Atlantic City or any other place where luxury comes high.

SEEN AND HEARD

Pajamas Colors
Seventy thousand suits of pajamas are going to waste in the United States navy. Every bathsheet and cruiser has bales of them stored in their ship closets. The reason is that the men refuse to wear any such contrivance. The army and navy journal authority for this statement.

Two years ago orders were issued that pajamas be provided for enlisted men, and it was assumed that this article of night apparel would soon become very popular. Something like 100,000 pairs were purchased, and sailors were notified they could draw them whenever they liked.

For a time there was no demand, but finally some of the men discovered a use for the garments. About 30,000 pairs were distributed. Then it was found that seamen were using the pajamas as underwear; others wore them while coaling ships.

The navy department will soon offer 70,000 suits of pajamas for sale to the highest bidder.

Contract in Stockings

Here is a despatch from Atlantic City that will interest some of our Lowell ladies who make a specialty of wearing attractive stockings:

"ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 7.—The board has offered a new suggestion to the world of, in a manner of speaking, fashion.

Two days ago two pretty girls appeared on the walk. The wind blew, and from the best possible source it was learned that each girl wore one lavender stocking and one black. Other girls who saw them could not decide whether the girls were roommates and switched stockings by mistake or were leaders of a new vogue.

"So, to be on the safe side, at least twenty girls appeared on the boardwalk today. The wind blew. Each wore one black silk stocking, while the other was any one of dozen vivid colors.

"To be sure, the girls are not the safe side, at least twenty girls appeared on the boardwalk today. The wind blew. Each wore one black silk stocking, while the other was any one of dozen vivid colors."

War Affects Authors

The book market in England as well as in this country has begun to feel the effect of the war in many respects besides the tremendous flood of war books with which it is now glutted. Almost 25 well known English writers and one or two of our own are now serving in the trenches. Among these are W. B. Maxwell, A. E. W. Mason, Ian Hay, Hugh Walpole and others. Arnold Bennett is still writing, but devotes most of his time to work in aid of the soldiers. Robert Hichens has postponed all work on account of the war, and Barry Pahl will publish nothing this year but a collected edition

ABOUT THE OPPORTUNITY TO VISIT CALIFORNIA

No doubt you would like to visit California this year, during the Exposition at San Diego and San Francisco. But how to go, and what will it cost? I want to tell you all about our "Personally Conducted" Parties, and how you can join one, travel comfortably in through cars at much less cost than by the usual way, and at the same time see the most famous and interesting mountain scenery in the world. Denver—the Colorado Rocky Mountains—Salt Lake City and the Sierra Nevadas. That's the Route, and our special all the way conductor is on hand to tell you about it and look after all the details.

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of his best stories. Dion Clayton Culthorpe has written nothing since he began. Rupert Brooke, one of the most promising of England's younger poets, was killed in the Dardanelles last April. The American writer Arthur Bullard, whose name de plume is Albert Edwards, is studying war conditions on the front and is in no mood for fiction. There will be no new novel of him this year.

Arthur Barr, son of the late Robert Barr, has been in the trenches since the beginning of the war, serving with the Seaforth Highlanders Lincoln Colcord has turned from fiction to verse and written a poem in glorification of war call "A Vision of War." Zona Gale has dramatized the Peace Conference in a book called "Hearts Kindred," which will be published in November. Meanwhile it is announced that a new novel by H. G. Wells, "The Research Magnificent," and one by Eden Phillips, "Old Delahide," neither of which is inspired by the war, will be published in this country this month.

THE OPEN ROAD

The autumn winds are blowing cold. The mists descend on earth and sea, And all the ways of summer flee; So, as in nomad days of old, We strike our moving tent, and fold With sighs its' wind blown canopy.

The summer ended, harvest past, No more upon the evening air Shall fall wise counsel and the prayer.

Like bread upon the waters cast, That bringeth sure returns at last, To all who speak and hearkened there.

So, move we on to other fields And other pastures for our souls, But while the sorrowing piping rolls, Be sure the regent hand that wields God's scythe above the harvest fields Shall gather also winter's toils.

M. E. Butler.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Hope So!
War between the United States and Great Britain is too improbable to be prepared against.—Lowell Sun.

Get the Brute

The brutal murder of Judge Knowles in Rhode Island was the most reprehensible act of Labor day.—Manchester Mirror.

Second the Motion

If Evelyn doesn't contest Thaw's divorce suit she will deserve the thanks of the United States.—Brockton Enterprise.

Foss and Flitz

There are enough live issues in this campaign without opening family closets.—Fall River Herald.

Atlast Atlast!

What can we hope for, when the friends of peace fight among themselves?—Portland Express.

"It's Coming"

The talk of "freedom of the seas" sounds fine, but how about the freedom of Belgium?—Springfield Union.

The Pity of It

It is announced that no further investigation of the Frank lynch will be made.—Meriden Journal.

Glory Won't Do It

"Hill lost, glory won," reads a British despatch from the Dardanelles.—Brockton Times.

Home, This Year

Twelve million people have thus far seen the San Francisco exposition.—Holyoke Transcript.

Aw, Guess Yourself!

Is peace near at hand?—Woonsocket Call.

It is to Worry

The report that von Tirpitz has resigned his post as minister of marine in the German cabinet may be unfounded.—Johnstown Democrat.

But It Helps

Idleness can not be cured by whipping the boy.—Lawrence Tribune.

STOLE FOR HER BABY

J. F. McNAMARA OF BOSTON THREW FIRE HORSES TO SAVE HIS CHIEF

BOSTON, Sept. 9.—Driver J. F. McNamara of Laddier 1, Friend street, through his presence of mind last night averted a serious accident while responding to a two-alarm fire on Durstable street, Charlestown, when he turned three horses attached to the big truck into the sidewalk on Rutherford avenue, near Chapman street.

Laddier was one of the ten town pieces of apparatus to respond to the second alarm, and was going up Huntington avenue at a rapid clip when the pole horse stumbled and fell. Acting District Chief Hines of the West End was coming behind the big truck with a few yards in his auto, at a 50-mile clip, when the horse stumbled.

McNamara saw that the other two horses would go down and threw all his weight on the rein toward the sidewalk. He threw the horses over just in time, for Chief Hines' machine shot by, grazing the apparatus and one of the horses on the ground. All three animals were cut and bruised, but not seriously, and continued on to the fire, a few blocks distant. Chief Hines later said that it was about as narrow an escape as he ever had.

The fire was a dangerous one in the hundred yards and storage sheds of the A. M. Wood Lumber company at 31 Dunstable street, in the center of the lumber and stable district of Charlestown and within 100 yards of the Boston and Maine hay sheds.

District Chief Shallow of Charlestown found the flames shooting out of the big storage shed, where thousands of feet of dry lumber were stored. He immediately ordered a second alarm.

The cause of the fire could not be found last night. A. M. Wood, owner of the company, told the chief he thought it may have been due to crossed wires.

Chief McDonough stated that had the fire gained a little more headway it would have swept the section near Rutherford avenue with little difficulty. The damage was estimated at \$1000.

CAUSED BY CARELESSNESS

If you are constipated, it is your own fault. It is caused by carelessness and can be corrected by cultivating careful habits.

Diet is of the first importance, then exercise and the use of a laxative until healthful habits are established. Harsh purgatives are harmful and make matters worse but Pinklets, the little pink granules prepared by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., give nature the gentle assistance required and they really do correct constipation. The laxative you are using is unsatisfactory.

Write for free sample or get a full size, 25-cent bottle of Pinklets from your own druggist. A booklet on "Constipation, Its Causes and Treatment" will be mailed free on request.

Workmen are still busy in the auditorium, basement and gymnasium of the new high school of commerce in the Fenway, which are still in the process of completion, and the building proved noisy in consequence. Headmaster James E. Downey found himself one of the busiest men in the city yesterday, for although the school has a capacity of 1500, there were many more applicants than could possibly be accommodated there.

The same situation prevailed at the Mechanics Arts High school, where Headmaster Charles W. Farmer found 21 more boys than the 15 which the school can accommodate.

The Girls' Latin School on Huntington avenue will have a registration of about 650, all of whom can probably be taken care of.

BASEBALL AND
FIELD SPORTS

THE SUN SPORTING PAGE

BOXING, GOLF
AND ATHLETICS

LAWRENCE TEAM SUED

WHILE PLAYERS ARE WAITING
FOR THEIR BACK PAY—NO PAY
SINCE AUG. 14

LAWRENCE, Sept. 9.—The Lawrence club has been sued by the New London club of the Eastern association. New London seeks to recover the sum of \$200 alleged to be owed by the locals for player, Larry Mahoney. The New London club further seeks to recover \$100, said to have been advanced to the players when he signed a New London contract last winter. Mahoney was traded to New London for Jake Warner. The New London club did not start as the league suspended for the season. Manager H. Eugene McCann sold Mahoney to Lawrence. The wrinkle has been served on representatives of the Lawrence team.

Manager A. F. Pearson of the Lawrence team left Tuesday morning for his home in West Bridgewater, Pa. The other players are still in town. They waited all morning at the club office in the Ryder Building, for the "ghost to walk." They were to be paid off at 11, but at that time there was no one put in an appearance with anything like money to pay out. Some of the players need the money for transportation back home. They have not been paid since "Pennant Day," Saturday, August 14.

Manager Pearson was obliged to leave Lawrence without having been paid up.

The players were still on guard at 2 o'clock, but the cashier was absent.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

Kimball vs. South Ends at Spalding park, Saturday.

Westford vs. Graniterville at Graniterville Saturday.

Lisbons vs. Maples at Lincoln park, Saturday.

The manager of the Lawrence Mfg. Co. states that if the South Ends will not play a series of the games for the local championship his team will claim it.

The Clipper A. C. would like to arrange a game with the South Ends Jrs. or the Riversides for Saturday. Answer through this paper or to Mr. Nugent, 27 West Fourth street.

The Elm players are requested to report at the South Common tonight at 6 o'clock. The manager of the Elms would like to meet the manager of the Mysteries at Carr's at 8 o'clock.

GAMES TOMORROW

American
Philadelphia at Boston,
Washington at New York,
Detroit at Cleveland.

National League
Boston at Pittsburgh,
New York at Philadelphia,
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

BOY SCOUTS' GALA DAY FOR FOOT BALL TEAM

PAWTUCKETVILLE SCOUTS HAD
MOST ENJOYABLE TIME ON TEX-
TILE SCHOOL CAMPUS

The fourth annual gala day of the Pawtucketville Boy Scouts was held Monday on the Textile school campus and the result of the sporting events was as follows:

One mile run: Fremont Nichols, first; watch, Frederick Mulgrave, second; necktie.

One-half mile run: First, Master Sheldon, necktie; second, Master Glorius, stick pin.

100 yard dash: First, Fremont Nichols, cribbage board; second, Fred Mulgrave, jackknife.

Three-legged race: Sturtevant and Hoyla, first, drinking cups.

Shoe and stocking race: First, Jas Edwards, collar button holder; second, Chester Patton, pencil holder.

Married men's race: Won by Officer Jeffries, pendant.

Woman's all chocolate contest: Won by Mrs. Flint, chocolate set.

Throwing baseball: Won by Mildred LaBarre, talcum powder.

Sawing wood contest: Won by Mrs. Kellman, apron.

50 yard dash, woman: Won by Mrs. Kellman, box of chocolates.

High jump: First, Fremont Nichols, necktie; second, Clarence Armstrong, necktie.

Coach Conway, who is a Harvard man, outlined a new style of attack and something new in the line of aggressiveness which will be tried out by the team this season.

A meeting of the candidates for the team was held at the high school this morning at which the situation was talked over.

The boys who put in an appearance yesterday looked pretty good to the new coach.

HIGH SCHOOL CANDIDATES MET
COACH CONWAY AT MOUNTAIN
ROCK YESTERDAY

The candidates for the Lowell High school foot ball team to the number of 15 went out to Mountain Rock yesterday for their first session of practice and were in charge of James Conway, the new school coach, and Capt. James Roane.

Two games already have been arranged which will include games with Lawrence and Haverhill and with the Textile school.

Coach Conway, who is a Harvard man, outlined a new style of attack and something new in the line of aggressiveness which will be tried out by the team this season.

A meeting of the candidates for the team was held at the high school this morning at which the situation was talked over.

The boys who put in an appearance yesterday looked pretty good to the new coach.

DIAMOND DAZZLES

Barnes, the new recruit of the Braves, certainly made a fine first impression, swishing his game and allowing five hits and two bases on balls. Only once, in the fourth inning, did he show signs of weakening, but he came back all right.

Marianville made one error out of 22 chances in two games, which wasn't so bad.

The Phillies and Sox are at it again in Boston today with a large number of Lowell fans in attendance.

Zeko Lohman, Allie Moulton and several New England leaguers will be seen in the lineup of the blood game between Westford and Graniterville on Saturday.

Mrs. Rowena Palmer, president of the Equal Suffrage league of Lowell, has sent Roland Barrows a check for \$10 for his home run over the right field fence last Saturday. Twice this year Barrows made a home run over the right field fence, his first and second, before the end of the price. In the history of the park there have been less than one dozen homers over that fence, which is farther away than it looks from the grandstand. In recent years Rube Groff once put the ball over, and I recall old Kllobedanz when playing with Lawrence, doing the stunt.

Here's the situation: The Red Sox are 1 1/2 games ahead of Detroit and 7 games ahead of Chicago. The Braves are 2 1/2 games behind Philadelphia, tied with Brooklyn, 1 1/2 games ahead of St. Louis, 7 games ahead of Chicago, 9 games ahead of Pittsburgh, 10 games ahead of New York and 10 games ahead of Cincinnati.

McMillan of the Boston Journal calls the kind of games the Red Sox have been playing "wrist-watch games."

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about the new laws? Want to know

WILSON VISITS LANSING

Made Call Unannounced and Delivered Copy of Letter Written by Dr. Dumba

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Unannounced and unexpectedly, President Wilson today went from the executive offices in the White House to the office of Secretary Lansing in the state department. After a conference of 15 minutes' duration the president started back to the White House. In the corridor of the state department he was intercepted by correspondents and asked if there was anything new in connection with Ambassador Dumba's case.

"Nothing at all," he said. "The secret is handling that."

President Wilson explained, as to his going to the state department, that "I just brought over some papers of a routine nature, which ordinarily I would have sent over."

The president's action was so unusual that White House and state department attaches were slow to realize what had happened. So far as officials could recall the only precedent for a president going to call on a secretary of state was recorded when President McKinley went to call on Secretary Day.

Later it was learned that the papers which President Wilson took to Secretary Lansing included a copy of the letter Dr. Dumba had sent to his foreign office and which was found by the British secret service men. Photographic copies also had been sent to the state department by Ambassador Page in London.

After the president returned to the executive offices White House offi-

cials said the visit to the state department would not be discussed further. Ambassador Dumba in the meantime had been to call on Secretary Wilson of the department of labor in connection with a plan to aid in securing employment for any Australian subjects who might leave their places in the munitions plants as the result of publication of the decree threatening punishment. Secretary Wilson was not at his office and the ambassador returned to his chancellery, intending to return to the summer embassy at Lenox, Mass., later today.

News of the president's call on Secretary Lansing was received at the embassy with undisguised surprise. It was plain that officials there were at a loss to conjecture what the next move would be.

Secretary Lansing would not discuss the president's visit except to say that he was taken by surprise when the chief executive entered his office unannounced.

Last yesterday Ambassador Dumba conferred with Secretary Lansing about the correspondence taken from an American correspondent by British secret service men, which disclosed that the Austrian ambassador was concerned in a project to interfere with the operations of American munition plants. The ambassador explained that his government had instructed him to give widest publicity to a decree making it a criminal offense for any Austr-Hungarian to be concerned in the manufacture of munitions of war for his country's enemies.

VOTE ON STRIKE BIG WHEAT CROP

Employees of D. & H. Ry. Voting on Proposed General Strike

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 8.—The Evening Journal says that all brotherhood men employed on the Delaware & Hudson railway are voting today on a proposed general strike. The issue is said to be the company's general treatment of them, particularly as regards suspensions.

Sixteen hundred employees of the United Traction Co., a subsidiary corporation of the Delaware & Hudson now are on strike here and in Troy over a similar complaint.

GUILD LEFT \$299,679

INVENTORY FILED IN PROBATE COURT—GREATER PART OF PROPERTY IN BONDS

BOSTON, Sept. 8.—Curtis Guild, former governor of Massachusetts and former ambassador to Russia, left an estate valued at \$299,679, all personal property, according to an inventory filed in probate court today. The greater part of the property was in bonds.

TRIBUTE TO PEGOUDE

BELFRONT, France, Sept. 8.—A German aeroplane flying at a great height appeared over Chavannes, an Alpine village on the old frontier. The aviator dropped a wreath which bore the inscription:

"To Pegoud, who died like a hero, from his adversary."

The noted French aviator Adolphe E. Pegoud, while making a reconnaissance recently near Petit Croix, was killed by a German aviator, whom he attacked.

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BORDER COMPLICATIONS

ARMY OFFICERS GIVEN COMMAND OVER ACTIONS OF CIVILIANS ON RIVER BANK

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Sept. 8.—What is regarded as the most important step yet taken by the United States army in the border complications of the lower Rio Grande valley came today with the issue here of an order giving to army officers command over the actions of the civilians on the river bank in case of shooting across the international boundary is resumed.

CHANGES AT ANNAPOLIS

SEC. DANIELS ORDERS GENERAL REORGANIZATION OF FORCES AT ACADEMY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Secretary Daniels today announced a general reorganization of the forces of the naval academy at Annapolis. Heads of nearly all departments were ordered detached for duty elsewhere. The changes to be effective Sept. 20. The reorganization is a result of the recent investigation of the academy.

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Stock Market Closing Prices, Sept. 8

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NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Am Beet Sugar	67	65 1/2	66 1/2
Am Can	53 1/2	56 1/2	57 1/2
Am Can pf	105 1/2	105 1/2	106 1/2
Am Car & Fn	68 1/2	67 1/2	68
Am Cot Oil	50	49	50
Am Hide & L pf	37 1/2	37	37 1/2
Am Locomo	53 1/2	53	53 1/2
Am Sust & R	110	108	108
Am Sugar Refn	110	109	109 1/2
Anaconda	69 1/2	69 1/2	70 1/2
Atchison	101 1/2	101	101 1/2
Baldwin Loco	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Balt & Ohio	81 1/2	82 1/2	83
Balt & Ohio pf	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Br Rar Tram	85	85 1/2	85 1/2
C. & G. Co.	150	148	148
Cont Leather	44	43 1/2	44
Ches & Ohio	19 1/2	19	19 1/2
Chi & Gt W	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
C. C. & St L	30	28	28
Co. Fuel	45 1/2	45	45 1/2
Consol Gas	120	118	118
Crucible Steel	89 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2
Secure Co	26	25	25
Frie	29 1/2	28	29 1/2
Erie 1st pf	45	45	45
Erie 2d pf	35 1/2	35	35 1/2
Gen Elec	171 1/2	171	171
GT North pf	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
GT Ore pf	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Int Metal Co.	105 1/2	104 1/2	102 1/2
Int Paper	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Int Paper pf	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Kan City So	27	27	27
Lehigh Valley	145	144 1/2	144 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	83	81 1/2	81 1/2
Missouri Pa.	3	2 1/2	2 1/2
N. Y. Central	147	147	147
Nor & West	111	110	110
North Pacific	107 1/2	107	107 1/2
Ont & West	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Pennsylvania	110	109 1/2	109 1/2
Pressed Steel	63	61 1/2	62 1/2
Press Co.	150	149 1/2	150 1/2
Reading	151 1/2	149 1/2	150 1/2
Rep Iron & S.	44	42 1/2	42 1/2
Rock Is	20 1/2	18 1/2	19 1/2
St. Paul	51 1/2	53	53 1/2
St. Pacific	85	84 1/2	86
Southern Ry	15 1/2	15 1/2	16 1/2
St. Louis & San Joaquin pf	110	109 1/2	110 1/2
Studebaker	118 1/2	110	114 1/2
Tenn Copper	56	55	57 1/2
Third Ave	55 1/2	54 1/2	55
Union Pacific	130 1/2	128 1/2	129 1/2
Union Pac pf	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
U. S. Steel	44 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
U. S. Steel pf	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Westinghouse	110 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
Western Un	77	75 1/2	75 1/2

WAR SHARES FEATURE

GAINS REGISTERED AT OPENING
STEEL JUMPS AFTER NOON
CLOSING STEADY

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Manipulation of war shares was the feature of today's early trading. General Motors made an initial gain of 3 points to 233, and Crucible Steel rose 1 3-4 to 86 with gains of a point in others of that group. Wisconsin Copper was the only metal issue to record a gain advancing 2 1-2. Railways were irregular. Reading's advance of a point to 151 5-8 soon being lost. Rock Island was heavy, losing 1 1/2. The market was steady.

At the close of the service, which

BOSTON MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Boston & Albany	182	182	182
Boston Elevated	77	77	77
S. Y. & N. H.	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2

RAILROADS

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Alaska Gold	32	32	32
Allouez	53	53	53
American zinc	64	63 1/2	63 1/2
Ariz. Copper	82	82	82
Ariz. & Superior	67 1/2	66	67
Cal & Ariz.	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
China	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Copper Range	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
E. Butte	12 1/2	12	12
Florida	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Nevada	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
North Butte	30	29 1/2	29 1/2
No. Lake	14	14	14
Old Dominion	64	63 1/2	63 1/2
Oceola	81	80	81
Quincy	82	82	82
Shanahan	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Superior & Boston	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Tamarack	54	53	54
U.S. Smelting	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Utah-Apex	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Utah Cons	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Wolverine	57	57	57

MINING

AM Tel & Tel....122 1/2 122 1/2 122 1/2

MISCELLANEOUS

Am Ag Chem Co....61 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2

Am Woolen Co....63 1/2 63

SANK IN SELF DEFENSE

U-Boat Commander Says Arabic Was Trying to Ram His Craft—Germany Regrets Deaths

BERLIN, Sept. 8, via London, Sept. 9.—Germany's note to the United States concerning the sinking of the White Star liner Arabic by a German submarine was communicated to James W. Gerard, the American ambassador, yesterday evening.

The note asserts the destruction of the liner was an act of self-defence on the part of the submarine, expresses the German government's deep regret that American lives were lost thereby, and offers to refer the questions of reparation and compensation to The Hague for adjustment.

Orders to Submarines

The note reveals in detail the instructions to submarine commanders concerning their treatment of liners. They are ordered not to attack a passenger steamer except in case of an attempt to escape after it is ordered to halt or unless its actions indicate an intention to attack the submarine.

The right to sink a hostile passenger ship after the passengers and crew have been placed in boats presumably is not affected by these instructions.

The submarine commander, according to his report concerning the sending of the Arabic to the bottom, said he believed the Arabic was about to attack the submarine and that therefore he acted within his instructions.

Commander's Report

German naval experts declare there is no other course open to submarines under the present conditions when they assert, every merchantman, from liner down to fishing smack, is a prospective enemy, perhaps carrying guns and ready to seize any opportunity to attack the vulnerable submarine by gunfire or by ramming.

According to the submarine commander's report, the submarine was engaged in destroying a freighter when the Arabic was sighted. The submarine was then on the surface.

The Arabic, the commander declares, was going and headed toward the freighter as if to attack the submarine. The commander of the submarine remained in doubt as to the intentions of the Arabic when the latter changed her course a few points, but still kept headed in a direction that was bringing him nearer to the scene.

Stranded for Submarine

The captain of the submarine reports that he continued to observe the actions of the liner until he saw the Arabic had sighted the submarine boat. Then the captain of the submarine, believing his craft was in danger, he declared, submerged her and fired a torpedo.

This news was communicated immediately to James W. Gerard, American ambassador, for transmission to Washington.

Prior to the receipt of the report of the submarine's commander, admiralty officials believed the submarine had been lost. No reason for her delay in returning to port has been given.

The news of the return of the submarine and the commander's report has not yet been published in Germany.

There is still no report available here with regard to the sinking of the Allen line steamer Hesperion.

REFUSES DISAVOWAL

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—Germany refuses to disavow the torpedoing of the Arabic on Aug. 19, with the loss of American lives.

This is clearly the meaning of a note handed yesterday to Ambassador Gerard in Berlin, in which the claim is made that the submarine commander who sank the Arabic "acted in self-defense."

Germany's new note has amazed the administration officials. Ambassador von Bernstorff plainly gave the assurance that Germany was not disposed to place any technicalities in the way of a speedy settlement of the Arabic case.

The note also seems to show a decided change in the policy in the German government as expressed during the past two weeks. The impression has been conveyed that submarine commanders were no longer permitted to make attacks without warning on passenger vessels, and the Berlin officials professed to be at a loss to account for the attack on the Arabic. It has been given out that the submarine which was responsible for the attack was presumably lost, as it had not since been heard from, and that therefore Germany could not explain how the attack came to be made. The willingness was expressed, however, to make full reparation for what was assumed to be due to some blunder or misunderstanding.

Last night, however, the Washington officials learned to their amazement that "the submarine which sank the Arabic had returned," and that the commander claimed the sinking was done in "self defense."

The "self defense" consisted in the impression of the submarine commander that the Arabic by changing her course intended to ram him.

It will be remembered that the captain of the Arabic said that he had seen a freighter in distress, having evidently been torpedoed, and that he headed for her with the idea of saving the lives of those on board.

This humane act of the Arabic's commander is now made a pretense for sinking his vessel.

The surprise and disappointment of the administration officials are intensified by the fact that the German ambassador, von Bernstorff, had practically given them definite assurances that Germany would wholly disavow the attack on the Arabic and make full reparation for the loss of American lives. And now instead of a disavowal there comes an attempt to justify the act.

Ambassador Gerard reports that no explanation has been given out in Berlin as to where the submarine has been all this time, and the whole performance is regarded in some quarters as a flimsy excuse to evade the issue.

Nor is the Arabic incident the only one regarding which Germany shows a change of front. For the past 24 hours despatches, evidently officially inspired, have come from Berlin, in which the claim is made that the Allen line Hesperion was not torpedoed, but in all probability struck a mine. This claim is made and reiterated in spite of the fact that the ship's officers all declare that a torpedo caused the destruction of the vessel.

Germany is evidently relying on the fact that as the vessel went to the

bottom and as no one actually saw a submarine it will be difficult to prove that a torpedo was the instrument of attack.

GERMANSWERE REPULSED

ATTEMPT TO ADVANCE SOUTH OF RIGA WAS REPELLED BY THE RUSSIANS

PETROGRAD, Sept. 8, via London, London, Sept. 9, 4:25 a.m.—A statement issued tonight at the war office says:

"On the Riga-Dvinsk front the general situation remains unchanged. German attempts to advance Tuesday in the region of the railway station at Gross Lika (south of Riga) and Neu-

skil. In the latter direction, the

attack was repelled.

In the direction of Dvinsk there were only unimportant advanced post actions. The fight for the river Louts continues, in order to occupy a more covered position our troops removed a little to the right of the Lautze.

"There have been no important changes on the routes toward Vilna. The Germans directed a violent artillery fire, accompanied by asphyxiating gases, against our troops occupying the outposts from the lakes in the region of Nevo Troki. Near the town of Oryany the enemy yesterday made attempts at an offensive.

"From Grodno stubborn German attacks continue in the region of the railway station at Druckeniki and towns Skidel. In the latter direction, repulsing the enemy, we inflicted on him great losses and took some scores of prisoners.

"South of the Niemen the enemy de-

veloped extremely stubborn attacks in the region of Volkovysk on both sides of the railway leading to Slonim.

"On the roads from Lutsk to Rovno there has been no change. In the region of Dubno and Rementz we occupied new positions on the rivers Ikva and upped Goryn.

"In Galicia near Tarnopol yesterday we achieved a great success against the Germans. The German third guards division and the 48th reserve division reinforced by Austrian brigades with great quantities of heavy and light artillery, according to statements made by prisoners, had been preparing for several days for a decisive attack. This was fixed for the night of Tuesday Wednesday. Forestalling the enemy, our troops took the offensive, and, after a stubborn fight on the river Doljanka, the Germans were completely defeated Tuesday evening.

"At the end of the engagement the enemy developed an artillery fire of most extraordinary intensity. Only the impossibility of replying with the same weight of metal prevented us from further developing the success we had obtained.

"The Germans, besides suffering enormous losses in killed and wounded, left prisoners in our hands more than 200 officers and 6000 men. We captured 30 guns, fourteen of which are of heavy calibre, many machine guns, gun barrels and other booty.

"After a brief pursuit our troops occupied their former positions on the river Sereth.

"The emperor, having received a report of the defeat inflicted upon the enemy, sent an order to express to his valorous troops his joy and thankfulness for their success and for the heavy losses inflicted on the enemy.

"Further south, in the region of Trambowla on the 7th we dislodged the enemy from a series of villages, making prisoners over forty officers and nearly 2500 soldiers, together with three guns and a dozen machine guns.

"Between the Dniester and the left bank of the lower Sereth the Austrians passed to the offensive in the course of the 7th, in the region of Voriyatyn. By bank attacks one of our battalions arrested the enemy's offensive and took prisoner eleven officers and over 1000 Austrians with machine guns.

"The fortunate withdrawal of our armies from the difficult position before the Vistula where they were surrounded by the enemy, is beginning to make itself felt now by partial successes."

STREET RAILWAY FARES

NASHUA PEOPLE WANT REDUCTION ON FIVE CENT FARES FOR WORKING PEOPLE

Relative to the proposition to increase car fares to six cents in this state the Nashua Telegraph has the following:

The publication in Tuesday evening's

Telegraph of the petition entered in Massachusetts for the establishment of a general six cent fare over the lines of the Bay State Railway company, caused no little interest in this city, where this corporation controls the city lines and one of the routes to Lowell.

As far as Telegraph reporters could learn, there has been no action taken by the company, nor is one contemplated in the matter of the petition for similar increase in fares in this state, the Nashua lines being the only ones owned by the company in New Hampshire. The lines in this city are short as compared with fare limits in Massachusetts, this being especially true on the Lowell route, where the fare charge between the Hudson five cent limit, at the state line is probably the shortest distance for the collection of a fare anywhere.

Should the company seek to effect an increase of fares generally from five to six cents in New Hampshire, it would be necessary to enter a petition before the New Hampshire public service commission, and the matter would be argued at a public hearing.

Whether the company may establish a six cent fare for any part of a through ride to Lowell, crossing the state line, without authority of the interstate commerce commission, might be an interesting legal question.

The point would be whether or not an increase of a fare over a state line, where the fares are collected between "limits," none of which cross the line, would come under the category of an "interstate" journey.

If there should be a petition for an increase of fares from five to six cents, the destruction of the vessel.

Germany is evidently relying on the fact that as the vessel went to the

strong opposition would develop against it being granted.

In fact, it is understood that moves

have been on foot here to petition the public service commission, for

the issuance of fare rates, effec-

tive on runs used by workers—for

instance on the Canal, Lake and West

Pearl street lines for those patrons who

work in the mills and shoe shops and

live at the other end of the city. Tickets

giving six rides for a quarter on

these lines would be a fare reduction

that would be more than made up in

income by increased riding, if put into

effect, say advocates of the change.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed

executor of the will of Cornelius J. Cronin, late of Lowell, in the County

of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and

has taken upon himself that trust by

giving bond, as the law directs,

and persons having demands upon

the estate, to collect the same, re-

quired to exhibit the same, and all per-

sons indebted to said estate are called

upon to make payment to Patrick J.

Cronin, Executor. (Address) 22 Plain

st., Lowell, Mass. July 27, 1915.

are now enjoying an automobile tour

to Cape Cod.

—Edward—Yarnold

Charles Smith Edwards, agent at the

Brockside station in West Chelmsford

and Miss Matilda Addie Yarnold are

resident Tuesday evening by Rev. A.

E. Tyler, of the Chelmsford Street

Baptist church, the ceremony being

performed at the new home of the

couple in Brookside. The bride was

given away by her nephew, George F.

Yarnold of Boston, and she was attend-

ed by her cousin, Mrs. Louis K. Potter

of Boston. The best man was Harold

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THE SPELLBINDER

The Courier-Citizen on Monday had for a headline: "Mayor Denies That He Had Pledged Support for This Year," and under it was statement from Mayor Murphy denying that he ever promised his support to Dr. Mignault at the French club." His Honor took pains to enumerate the number of occasions on which he appeared at the C. M. A. C. as if that were the question at issue. But in no part of the statement did the mayor deny that at some time and place he promised that he would support Dr. Mignault for mayor. His Honor very plainly stated that he made no promise to Dr. Mignault at the French club and undoubtedly he did not, but his statement and the Courier-Citizen's headline whether intentionally or not would give the public the impression that at no time or place did His Honor make such a promise.

Dr. Mignault it is understood, is prepared to produce evidence from people who claim they heard His Honor pledge his support to the doctor or some other French candidate. Whether His Honor made the statement at the French club or not, is immaterial. The statement in Monday's Courier-Citizen is not a denial of what Dr. Mignault stated in the Courier-Citizen previously, as follows:

"Were you given positive assurance by Mayor Murphy himself, in the fall of 1913, that he would not be a candidate a second time?" was asked by Dr. Mignault.

"No; I was not, but my friends had that general understanding of the situation. I was told by them what he had said. At a meeting in the C. M. A. C. club he told them that if he were supported at that time, two years hence he would take off his coat and work for Dr. Mignault, or any other French candidate for mayor. I can get a hundred witnesses to that. And so they supported him, and he was elected."

Everybody will agree, and even Dr. Mignault will accept the correction, that Mayor Murphy, while at the French club did not promise to support the doctor, but that does not prove that he did not make any promise of support at some other time and place.

Previous Action Rescinded

Some time ago when the one-day-off-in-five bill was before the legislature Mayor Murphy and the other members of the municipal council ordered City Solicitor Hennessy to go to Boston and oppose it, and the city solicitor obeyed orders. At that time Mayor Murphy was not a candidate for re-election. On the South common Monday Mayor Murphy, now a candidate for re-election said: "A few years ago it devolved upon the people of Massachusetts to pass upon legislation affecting the firemen and two cities in the Commonwealth, Lowell and Taunton, brought disgrace upon themselves and the state by refusing to grant the firemen one day off in five. As I saw you men march by city hall today thousands strong, it was an impressive sight, but why don't you march to the polls on election day with the same show of strength and organization and vote to give the firemen one day off in five."

Let's see what was it that His Honor said in his paid advertisement of two years ago when he announced that he would not run again:

"I believe," said His Honor, "if unhampered with plans and labor necessary to bring about a continuation of two additional years in office I can perform my duties to better advantage, and because I purpose not only to go into office free from any ties and personal obligations, but I desire to remain so during my entire term."

Pawtucketville Concert

Sunday's municipal band concert was held in the front yard of the house formerly owned by the late Lorenzo E. Smith of the street department who is alive, undoubtedly, would have appreciated the honor, provided he had nothing planted in the front yard. Opposite the Smith residence is a big vacant lot some 20 or more feet below the sidewalk. The bandmen evidently were not taking any chance by going below the surface to play and hence lanted their horns from the front yard of the Smith residence. And we have a fine new band stand on the South common. It was the general impression among the audience at the concert that it was given in Pawtucketville for political effect, to soothe the residents after depriving them of a new bridge and saddling a contagious disease hospital on them.

Singing the Petition

Though all are legal residents of Lowell there are many who are "from Missouri" when told that 7000 voters signed those petitions asking the mayor to run again.

Four Charlestown men who have been camping at Silver lake, near Wilmington, dropped in at a local liquor store not long ago to purchase some supplies for the camp and while waiting upon, one of them picked up one of the petitions asking the mayor to run again.

"You can sign that if you want to," said the clerk to the customer.

"Sure, we'll sign it," and smilingly the four of them put their names to the petition and were counted in with the other 6000 "voters of Lowell" who want the mayor to run again.

Getting After Baynes

The Somerville News owned by Harold D. Wilson, who is contesting with Joseph O. Hayden for the republican nomination for county treasurer has had a man delving into the reports of the county treasurer and is now asking the treasurer many pertinent questions, relative to those reports. The News emphasizes the fact that the greater part of the county deposits are made in the Somerville National bank, of which, Treasurer Hayden is president. Among the questions asked

is why it costs the treasurer only \$4139.75 for the care of the Lowell court house and registry of deeds and \$17,612.76 for the care of the Cambridge court house and registry. It also asks why it costs \$168.60 for directors for the Cambridge court house and only \$15 for the Lowell court house. Mr. Wilson is certainly putting in some strong personal links in this end of the county and claims that he is receiving the finest kind of encouragement in these parts.

Ward Eight Contest

Things are getting interesting in Ward 8 where Representative Lewis and Messrs. Lindsay, Hersey and Taft are doing battle for the representative nomination. First we heard story from Mr. Hersey's supporters to the effect that the democrats, or rather a number of leading democrats of Ward 8 had met and had endorsed Mr. Hersey, a story that was entirely without foundation. Then came an advertisement from the Lewis camp stating that someone had been trying to injure Mr. Lewis by starting a report that he was not running again. Now comes Mr. Taft with a circular in which he denies a report that he is a pensioner of the Boston & Maine and if elected will be subject to the dictates of that corporation. The only one of the quartet who appears to be having smooth sailing is Mr. Lindsay who is personally conducting an active but quiet campaign "with charity toward all and malice toward none," or vice versa, but possessed of a strong desire to win all three in the primaries.

A Well Filled Grave Yard

Somewhere in his office, City Clerk Flynn conducts a grave yard of municipal legislation, which, under this administration must be rapidly filling up. In it are buried the numerous petitions and communications sent to the mayor and municipal council which have been "read and placed on file" or "taken under advisement," and never again heard from. And while on the subject of petitions and graveyards, the fact is recalled that on June 2, of this year a petition was presented to the mayor and municipal council requesting that the municipal council confer with the authorities of the Leeks and Canals company in relation to the removal of the unsightly board fences now along the canal banks between Moody and Market streets and that ornamental "enclosable" wire fences be erected close to the water's edge, thereby affording the people living in these congested districts a breathing place.

Conditions Are Improving

Conditions certainly are improving at the Westford street firehouse. First, in response to the demand of the residents of the Highlands they put back two horses which looked like a couple of xylophones standing up on four legs. Then they announced that a boiler would be placed in the firehouse and finally they have taken the nearer-dead of the two horses away and have substituted a fine, fat animal, so fat in fact, that if he ever is called upon to run any distance they'll need a pulmotor to restore his wind. The team of horses that are now boarding at the Westford street house would make a great ad for "Dr." Frank Garvey's condition powder, "before and after taking." On one of them one sees nothing but ribs while a probe would be necessary to locate the ribs on the other. Mansfield, if there is a fire in the Highlands the chemical must wait until the department gets to the blaze and looks it over, then, if in its judgment, there is need for the chemical, word will be sent to headquarters and from headquarters it will be transmitted to the Westford street house. Then the fat and lean horses will be hatched and the apparatus gotten under way. If the horses manage to stick it out until they arrive at the scene of the fire there'll at least be the ruins for the chemical to work on.

A Promising Outlook

Assuming that the municipal council eventually will establish a contagious disease hospital on the Varney land, what an encouraging outlook awaits the poor patients. Sent there as victims of a disease that renders it necessary to isolate them, they are to be established in a hospital located within 50 feet of a grave-yard. With the tombstones of some of our famous early settlers constantly to remind them that in the midst of life we are in death, or within 50 feet of it at best; and with the influence that mind possesses over body, what a fine time those patients have in store for them, to be sure. The establishment of the contagious disease hospital within half a mile of Lowell's billion dollar driven well plant will make it more convenient for our city fathers of the future to show visitors to Lowell our public institutions. Heretofore our water plant was somewhat isolated as compared with the other city institutions, but now with the new hospital next door to it, there will be much to be seen on the boulevard way to visitors to Lowell.

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All sizes and shapes 25c, 50c, \$1.00, 6 lbs. per \$5.00.

BOTANICAL FARM CO., 311 Nass St., Philadelphia, Pa.

North Chelmsford on the banks of the Merrimack.

The steel skeleton of the new garage for the U. S. Cartridge Co. in Watson field is completed and in a very short time the building will be ready for occupancy.

Workmen are busily engaged at the Warrenville plant of the Newton Manufacturing Co., making needed alterations, and installing machinery.

Painters' union will meet tonight in Carpenters' hall to transact important business.

An open meeting for boxmakers will be held in Carpenters' hall tomorrow night under the auspices of the Carpenters' district council.

John McAuliffe, formerly employed at the Appleton mills, has accepted a position at the U. S. Cartridge Co.

The new storehouse being erected for the Appleton Co. by the New England Construction Co. is now five stories high.

"If You Can't Get a Job in the Cartridge Shop, You'll Never Get a Job At All," is a song becoming exceedingly popular with the younger generation. It is a parody on "If You Can't Get a Girl in the Summertime, etc."

A mass meeting for machinists of the city is scheduled for tonight in the union quarters in Middle street with Ross Hall of Lynn as the principal speaker. Organizer Hall is the man who is conducting the strike at Governor Foss' plants.

New Organizers Coming

Organizer Ross Hall of Lynn, who is also New England business agent for the International Association of Machinists, will conduct the open meetings for machinists to be held this afternoon and evening in the union quarters in Middle street.

Carpenters' Union, Local 1610

Carpenters' hall in the Runels building was well filled last night when the members of Carpenters' union, local 1610, held their regular weekly meeting. Business of considerable importance was transacted and two new members were admitted. Several applications for membership were referred to the investigating committee. A number of sub-committees on the Labor day celebration submitted reports and they were accepted as read. Business Agent Michael A. Lee reported business in the trade to be good for this time of the year.

Boilermakers' Union

The Boilermakers' union held a largely attended session in Trades & Labor hall last night at which a great deal of routine business was transacted. Several applications for membership were received.

Foldes' Union

The Foldes' union held a routine business session last night in the union quarters at 32 Middle street. There was a large attendance.

THUGS BEAT BURKETT

ATTEMPT TO ROB MANAGER OF WORCESTER CLUB OF \$800 IN LYNN FAILS

WORCESTER, Sept. 9.—With his left eye closed and blackened, his left cheek cut by what he says was a set of steel knuckles or a blackjack, and his right cheek so swollen that it nearly closed his right eye, Manager Jesse C. Burkett of Worcester Baseball club, returned to Worcester yesterday and told a story of a severe beating given him by "six thugs" in Lynn Monday night in an attempt to rob him of \$800 which he was supposed to be carrying for the members of the Worcester team.

The money, however, had been left in the safe of the old hotel in Lynn, so the would-be robbers failed in their efforts.

Since the Worcester team gave up the ghost in Worcester, Manager Burkett has been acting as custodian of the funds of the players, who finished the season on the cooperative plan. This fact evidently became known around the circuit, and after the closing game in Lynn on Labor day Manager Burkett had close to \$800 to divide among the players. According to previous arrangement the money was to be divided among the players in Worcester Tuesday.

After supper in Lynn Monday night Burkett went for a walk and says he was suddenly struck from behind and turned in time to see half a dozen men surround him and then begin to beat him. The thugs went through his pockets but got only a few cents in change, and they left him lying nearly helpless on the sidewalk.

He managed to get back to the hotel, where he had his wounds dressed. His condition was such that he could not come in Worcester Tuesday to meet the players, but he arrived home yesterday with the \$800 and this afternoon divided that among the members of the team, giving those in the city about \$50 each and arranging to forward a similar amount to the members of the team who have returned to their homes.

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THE AMERICAN IMPORTS

\$219,700,000 LESS DURING FISCAL

YEAR OF 1915 THAN IN 1914—

TOTAL IMPORTS \$1,074,200,000

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—An analysis

of American imports issued today by the department of commerce shows

that the value of goods shipped into

the United States during the fiscal

year 1915 was less by \$219,700,000

than in the previous year. Total im-

ports amounted to \$1,074,200,000,

Decreases in imports of manufactures

other than food products—ac-

count for most of the reduction. Im-

ports of foodstuffs last year, howev-

er, showed an increase of \$43,200,000 over

the previous year.

Can sugar worth \$174,000,000 led all

other products entering into the im-

port trade and coffee was next with a value of \$105,700,000. Imports of pre-

cious stones showed a reduction of

more than 50 per cent. from the pre-

vious year's trade while decreases

were marked in trade in silk, tobacco,

spirits and wines.

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THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Friday; light to moderate variable winds.

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PRICE ONE CENT

MAN WAS RUN OVER BY BAR HARBOR EXPRESS

Frank Patterson, an Electrician, Lost Both Legs—Is in Serious Condition

With both legs amputated and his body and arms covered with abrasions, Frank Patterson, an electrician residing at 104 Medford street, Malden, was brought to this city about 3:20 this morning on the Bar Harbor express by which he was run over in the vicinity of Ayer Junction, a short time before. The train was met at the Middlesex street station by the ambulance, which conveyed Patterson to St. John's hospital. For several hours he lay unconscious, but about 10:30 o'clock rallied and is now resting as comfortably as can be expected. Little information could be learned of the accident. Local railroad offi-

cials had not heard of it when interviewed by The Sun and at the hospital Patterson stated this noon that he did not know how he was injured. He remembered being in Ayer Junction, but was unable to give any facts. It is believed that he was waiting for a train near the Ayer Junction station and was struck by the fast express.

When first taken to the hospital the victim's name was believed to be Geo. Frazer and the name was immediately placed on the dangerous list. When he came to, however, he stated that he was Frank Patterson and had been working at his trade.

BEAUTIFUL LAWN FETE

Equal Suffrage Association Conducts Elaborate Event on Butler Grounds—Varied Program

The beautiful lawn fete held under p. m. there was a large crowd, and the many special features were plying a remunerative trade. The refreshment table was showing unusual activity, and the candy, grabs, fortune telling and other booths were being liberally patronized. Everything pointed to a very successful afternoon and evening, and it was evident that those who had worked for the event had left no stone unturned to make it a real success.

Following were the committees in charge:

General committee: Mrs. Paul Butler, chairman, Mrs. C. Brooks Stevens, Mrs. M. C. Hall; grounds, Mrs. M. C. Hall; pop concert, Mrs. Boyden Pillsbury; refreshments, Mrs. Nath Peabody; entertainment, Miss Katherine P. McCarthy; tickets, Miss Bertha M. Abbott; grabs, Mrs. Lewis E. MacBrayne; candy, Miss Gertrude Harvey; suffrage, Mrs. Charles Palmer; fortunes, Dr. Emma E. Slaughter.

The children and young girls dancing in the afternoon under the direction of Miss L. Blanche Patten, was strikingly beautiful and attracted great applause. The vari-colored costumes made charming pictures under the great trees, and the graceful evolution of the dance were followed with unusual interest.

The program included a great variety of folk and fancy dances, presenting a most beautiful picture upon the lawn while a number of girls appeared as solo dancers in costumes befitting the characters assumed. Altogether the performance was highly creditable and won much applause.

The largest Tango cloth in New England can be hired from the Cross Awning Co., Dutton street. Also canopies for weddings, receptions, funerals, etc. Large and small tents to let.

DYESTUFFS ARE NEEDED VICTORY FOR GERMANS

COMMITTEE ASKS SEC. LANSING FOR ASSISTANCE TO RELIEVE SITUATION

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—A committee representing the master dyers' association of Philadelphia, headed by D. F. Waters, its president, called on Secy. of State Lansing today and asked assistance to relieve the dyestuff situation in the United States. They declared that no new practical methods had been developed for the manufacture of dyestuffs, that supplies of large manufacturers in Philadelphia were about exhausted and that the situation could be relieved only by releasing dyes now detained in German ports.

Under certain conditions, they said, the German government would release these goods and they asked Secretary Lansing to endeavor to meet those conditions.

Secretary Lansing promised to do everything possible.

HELD IN \$1000

WORCESTER, Sept. 9.—Harry E. Edwards of Chicopee, R. L., the Knowles murder suspect arrested here yesterday was arraigned today on two charges of robbery. He pleaded not guilty and was held for the superior court in bonds of \$1000.

COMMON SENSE

If the "Movie man" offered you \$10,000 to do the India Rubber Act and jump off a ten story building, common sense would tell you that you could not afford to take that risk, as only one man in about 189,000 ever bounces the second time. Use common sense when buying ready-to-wear apparel by buying it at

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ZEPPELINS DROP BOMBS ON LONDON

20 Killed, 86 Injured—Total Casualties From Zeppelin Raids, 122 Killed, 349 Injured—New General Attack by Allies in Dardanelles—British Transport Torpedoed—Fierce Fighting in the Argonne District

SCHOOLS SHOULD TEACH ALL CHILDREN TO SWIM

Great Number of Drownings Makes This Necessary—Swimming Pool Also Public Necessity

The city of Lowell should teach all school children to swim and it should provide a swimming pool to prevent them taking chances in the canals and rivers.

The frequent drownings in the waterways in and around Lowell make it imperative upon the city government to take some steps to prevent the great loss of life.

There has been an agitation for fencing the danger spots of the local waterways, but that precaution, small as it is, has not been attended to. This shows culpable indifference on the part of our city government.

But the matter cannot be allowed to go by default. Something must be done, but what will that something be?

To those who have studied the situation, the remedy is clear. It lies chiefly in having the city provide a system of public baths or a swimming pool at some central location. That would prevent the children from risking their lives in the canals and rivers. In addition to this, the school board should arrange to have every boy and girl taught to swim before leaving the grammar school. Education is important, but not so important as health or life and as the ability to swim is usually a protection against drowning, the children should be afforded that protection which

through life would be a safeguard against many dangers.

The question of cost will be the obstacle. How much is the city willing to do to save some 25 lives a year? Thus far it has not shown the willingness to do anything. But that policy must be changed.

In the event of the little ones being unprotected,

With the construction of a new high school it is an easy matter to provide a swimming tank. Then all that would be necessary would be a male instructor to teach the boys and a woman the girls. The expense for rendering this valuable service would be trifling.

Almost daily we hear of fatal accidents in and around our city in which the ability to swim would have saved lives.

There is not another city in New England in which there are so many drowning fatalities, owing to the manner in which the canals intersect the city.

The temptation to the children in hot weather is overpowering. It is a crime to so tantalize them with waterways everywhere, but not a single one in which they have a right to swim.

Let the policy in this respect be changed. Have every child taught to swim. This cannot be done without a large swimming tank. That is the first step. Let it be provided in the new high school or somewhere else. Any central location will do, but let it be provided.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVIES

STREET RAILWAY MEN

MEN HERE FROM MELROSE—LIFE INSURANCE MEN ALSO FLED THE CITY TODAY

About 100 employees of the Bay State Street Railway Co., from Melrose are enjoying their annual outing at Lakeview today. One special car transported the excursionists from their home town to the resort. On the arrival of the party a program of sports was carried out and at noon an amateur dinner was served.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 9.—Rt. Rev. Thomas F. Cusack of New York, was enthroned today as the fifth bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Albany, succeeding the late Bishop Thomas M. A. Burke.

OTTAWA, Kas., Sept. 9.—Rainfall of 5.72 inches here today caused the river to overflow and flood the lowlands of the city. Hundreds of people were driven from their homes and had to be rescued in boats.

BERLIN, Sept. 9.—The war office announced in the Zeppelin raids over England on Tuesday and Wednesday nights bombs were dropped on docks and other port establishments in London and vicinity. The German airship returned early this evening.

One special car loaded with the members of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. staff was run to Revere beach early this morning. During the morning hours bathing and various forms of sports were enjoyed and at noon a sumptuous shore dinner was served.

BERLIN, Sept. 9, via London, 3:15 p. m.—The brilliant victory won by the Russian army near Tarnopol is regarded here in the nature of a fitting celebration of the assumption of chief command of the Russian armies by Emperor Nicholas, and as an omen of success to come.

The afternoon was spent in visiting the various amusements provided at the well known resort, the major part of the time being spent in the "Pit," where the life writers gave all the fun-making devices a thorough trying out.

The Lafayette club is holding its annual outing at the Martin Luther camp today.

About 100 employees of the street railway company from Chelsea will hold their annual outing at Lakeview next Monday.

BICYCLE RIDER INJURED

Marvin Lillis of Lawrence, who was riding from that city to Lowell on a bicycle this afternoon, was thrown from his seat in front of a house at 113 First street and sustained injuries about his head and possibly internal organs. He was removed to St. John's hospital, but it was stated his injuries were not serious.

CHICAGO. Sept. 9.—A police guard and the serving of an injunction, followed by scenes of disorder, were unlooked for developments at today's session of the negro national Baptist convention.

The injunction was served on Rev. E. O. Morris, of Helena, Ark., president of the convention. It restrained him from speaking at the convention or taking any active part in the proceedings.

BERLIN, Sept. 9.—(By wireless to Sayville, N. Y.)—According to reliable information, says the Overseas News agency today, "considerable forces of Italian troops have been shifted from the Austrian frontier to the southwest frontier of Switzerland. The move has attracted the attention of the Swiss military authorities, especially in connection with the fact that the French have concentrated troops on the Swiss northwestern frontier."

LONDON, Sept. 9, 3:45 a. m.—The Petrograd correspondent of the Times thinks the appointment of Gen. Polivanov, minister of war as premier will be announced soon and points out that the order announcing that Emperor Nicholas has assumed personal command of the armies and navy coincides with the beginning of a fast ordained by the Holy Synod which adds solemnity to a historical event.

Down Goes Mercury

As days grow shorter the weather grows cooler.

Vacation pleasures end—home pleasures begin.

May we suggest a most fitting accompaniment of the fall season, the electric chafing dish and samovar!

GERMANY'S NOTE

Communication on the Sinking of Arabic Received at Washington

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—Germany's note on the sinking of the Arabic was received late today at the state department. Officials will not consider it before tomorrow and arrangements for its publication will be made later.

BASEBALL RESULTS

American first game: final: Washington 5, New York 3.
National first game: final: New York 0, Philadelphia 3.

FIRE IN A TREE

Hose 12 responded to a telephone alarm this afternoon for a fire in a tree near the Lakeview avenue ball grounds.

Lowell Electric Light Corp.

29-31 MARKET STREET.

THE CUBS GET DOUGLAS

PITCHER WHO ALLOWED PHILLIES THREE HITS MONDAY SOLD FOR WAIVER PRICE

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Pitcher Phil Douglas, of the Brooklyn baseball club was sold today to the Chicago National at the waiver price. Douglas pitched a three-hit game against the Phillips on Tuesday.

The Brooklyn club would have withdrawn the waiver request. It is understood, after this display of form by Douglas, but was prevented from such action by the rule adopted by the National league at the meeting a year ago.

James J. Casey, the Lawrence youth convicted yesterday of picking the pocket of Mary Burnea and stealing 15 cents, was given a suspended sentence at the Massachusetts reformatory.

This is not sufficient. As the insurance companies refuse to take liability insurance on drivers, the defense contends that the requirements of the ordinance are prohibitory and therefore illegal.

Two of the milk cases called a week ago were disposed of today. One was charged with having in his possession watered milk, but as the charge against him was in grave doubt, Inspector Masters did not fine it. It was therefore placed on file.

Thomas Angelos pleaded not guilty, through D. J. Donahue to having in his possession milk below the standard and he was ordered to pay a fine of \$10.

Threatened Wife

William J. Carney was called on continually, accused of unlawfully threatening his wife, Mary J. The latter testified that last Tuesday evening her husband went to the boarding house where she is employed and asked her for money. When she refused him, it is claimed, he assaulted her. He has since made more serious threats. A finding of guilty was made and Carney was ordered to secure bonds in the sum of \$300 to keep the peace for three months.

Assault Case

For assault and battery upon George Carazza, Jafrios Anastasius was ordered to pay a fine of \$10. He admitted striking the complainant but claimed he was justified in doing so.

John J. McCleure appeared for the complainant.

The case of Fransjak-Rutyna, charged with assault and battery on his wife, Wladyslawa, was called on continuance today. After Mrs. Rutyna and witness had told the story of the alleged assault, Rutyna was found guilty and fined \$10 on the assault charge and fined \$10 to furnish bonds in the sum of \$200 to keep the peace for six months. On a drunkenness charge he was also fined five dollars.

He appealed and was held in \$200 bonds for the superior court.

Another Assault Case

The trial of the case of Walter Smith, assault and battery on William J. Arnold, occupied considerable time. William J. Hogan appeared for the complainant and Hon. James E. O'Donnell for the defendant.

On last Thursday night, claimed the complainant, he and a lady friend named Mollie Keefe were walking in the vicinity of Broadway when Smith and one John Fraim made insulting remarks toward the girl. When Arnold went back to ask the reason for the words, it is claimed, he was assaulted.

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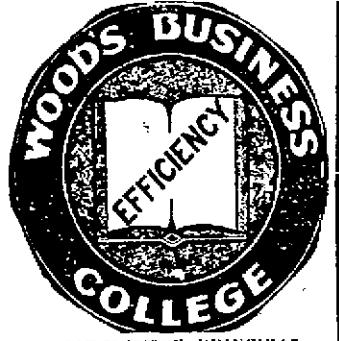
Lansing Orders Action in Archibald Case — Latter Carried Papers for Dr. Dumba

WASHINGTON. Sept. 9.—Secretary Lansing has cancelled the passports of James J. F. Archibald, the American correspondent, upon whom British service men found communications from Dr. Constantine Dumba, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador, to his foreign office on the subject of forming strikes in American munitions plants. Archibald now is at Rotterdam and Minister Van Dyke has been instructed to issue an emergency passport to permit his return to the United States when the department of justice probably will be called upon to decide if he has violated any law of the United States in acting as a messenger for one of the European belligerents.

Cancellation of Archibald's passports is the first official action in a diplomatic situation, which it has been suggested might possibly extend so far as to cause the departure of Dr. Dumba from this country.

American government officials were amazed at the disclosures which followed Archibald's detention at Falmouth and were particularly annoyed that an American passport had been used to carry what practically amounts to military information.

Dr. Dumba has made his explanation to Secretary Lansing, saying that the only instructions from his govern-



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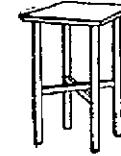


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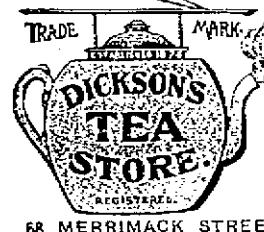
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Salt Pork, lb.....	9c
Whole Ham, lb.....	12c
Smoked Shoulder, lb....	91c
Pure Lard, lb.....	10c
Sugar, lb.....	6c
Sweet Corn, doz.....	10c
Rolled Oats, 7 lbs. for.....	25c
Pastry Flour	80c
Leg Lamb, lb.....	15c
Lemons, doz.....	8c
Fresh Killed Fowl, lb....	16c
Peaches, doz.....	10c
Potatoes, Native, pk....	15c
Bananas, doz.....	10c
Borax Soap, 8 bars for.....	25c
Nice Large Mackerel 10c, 3 for.....	25c
Fresh Halibut, Fresh Swordfish,	
Fresh Salmon.....	12½c
Spanish Onions, lb.....	4c
Brisket Salt Pork, lb.....	13c
Fresh Shoulder, lb.....	11c
Roast Pork, lb.....	14c
Leg Veal, lb.....	14c to 18c
Haddock, lb.....	3c to 5c
Codfish, lb.....	5c
Nice Roast Beef, lb. 11c to 13c	
Sardines, 8 boxes for.....	25c
Fresh Tomatoes, lb.....	2½c

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cut. Rev. E. C. Bartlett, pastor of the Braeum Centre Congregational church officiating. There were many floral tributes, including the following: Sprays, the parents, grandmother Mrs. G. Carlson and Mrs. J. Anderson; Mrs. A. Pfeiffer and Mrs. Charles Shaw; basket school teacher; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hayes; Undertaker, John Huntley; Mr. and Mrs. Voter a family; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey; Mrs. Lydia Northrop and daughter, Mildred; Mrs. Joel Haley; Mrs. Golar, Noah Gendarault and family; Mrs. Fox, Mrs. P. Sibley and a friend. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery, where the committee services were read by Rev. Mr. Bartlett. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

ment were to give widest publicity to the decree announcing enforcement of the Austro-Hungarian penal code against subjects who engaged in manufacture of war munitions for their country's enemies. He contended that he was fully within his rights in warning his countrymen.

Dr. Dumba is at his summer embassy at Lenox, Mass., awaiting news of this government's decision, which it is understood, will not be reached until more documentary evidence comes from London. Officials of the state department and the department of justice are now making some preliminary investigations which may decide what further action, if any, shall be taken in Archibald's case.

FUNERAL NOTICES

SHOEN—The funeral of Ebenezer S. Shoeh will take place Friday afternoon. Services will be held at 25 Dutton street at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial will take place at Bassett Hall, N. Y. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker Geo. W. Healey.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Ann McManus of North Chelmsford will take place Friday morning, Sept. 10, at her late home, corner of State road and Chelmsford street, at 8:30 o'clock, and at 9 o'clock a funeral mass will be sung at St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker George B. McKenna in charge.

DEATHS

ROBESON—Mrs. J. F. Robeson died yesterday at the home of her son, J. Robeson, aged 94 years, 9 months and 22 days.

SHOEN—Died Sept. 7 in this city, Ebenezer S. Shoeh, aged 73 years, at his home, 25 Dutton street. He resided by two sons, Curtis and Burton Shoeh and two daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Shoeh and Mrs. Harriet Burns.

MORAN—Miss Agnes Moran, a well known and esteemed resident of Forge Village, died at her home in Lowell Tuesday, aged 26 years. Deceased had suffered intensely for many years and has been under many operations, but the relief obtained was only temporary. She leaves two sisters, Miss Mary Moran of Forge Village and Sister Coloma of Peoria, Ill.

COLBY—Died Sept. 9 in this city, Mrs. Abby M. Colby, aged 78 years and 5 days, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred E. Haines, 80 Moore street. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Fred E. Haines and four grandchildren, Miss Ruth Colby, Henry Colby, Salome Colby and Eleanor Colby. Funeral services will be held at Francisco, N. H. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

GARGAN—Joseph J. Gargan, died today at his home, 58 Crosby street. He was a respected member of St. Peter's parish. He leaves to his wife, Mrs. Catherine J., three daughters, Teresa, Mildred and Rita; five sons, Edward, James, John, Raymond and William; his mother, Mrs. Margaret Gargan; three sisters, Mrs. Frank O'Leary, Mrs. Patrick Higgins and Mrs. Teresa Gargan, and two brothers, James and John, all of this city.

HANLEY—Daniel Hanley, one of the oldest and most respected residents of Forge Village, died at his home in Central street, Tuesday afternoon, aged 72 years. Mr. Hanley had not enjoyed the best of health for some time but his death was entirely unexpected. His death was a great shock to his friends. He leaves his wife, Catherine, he leaves seven children, Mary F., organist at St. Catherine's Catholic church; Catherine, Edward and Mrs. Martin Daly of this village; John, William and Mrs. D. P. Downey of Marlboro; and nine grandchildren, also one sister, Sister Mary Thomas of St. Joseph's church, May, 1914. Mr. Hanley was engaged in granite work in Graniterville for the Abbot Worsted Co. and when that concern built Mr. Hanley took charge of the wool sorting department 40 years ago and remained in its employ for 35 years, retiring five years ago.

FUNERALS

PHILIPS—The funeral of Helen Philips, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Philips, took place Monday at 4 o'clock from the home, 24 Cambridge street. Burial was in the Edson cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

O'KEEFE—Joseph O'Keefe, a well-known resident, died last evening at the Clinton Street Hospital. He leaves his wife, a widow, Mrs. Isabella O'Keefe. The body was taken to the funeral parlors of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SHARP—The funeral of Cornelius R. Sharp was held yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Cornelius and Mary S. Sharp, 13 South Union street. The flowers was a spray from Baby McMenney. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. C. H. Molloy was the undertaker.

ANDREWS—The funeral services of Raymond Thomas Andrews were held yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, 53 Vermont avenue, Dra-

MORAN—The funeral of Miss Bridget Agnes Moran took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from the funeral chapel of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy. The service was a solemn high mass at the church of the Immaculate Conception. The celebrant was Rev. Deacon Sullivan, O. M. I., Rev. Fr. Owen McQuade, deacon, and Rev. Fr. O'Brien, O. M. I., sub-deacon. There were many floral offerings, showing the love in which deceased was held by relatives and friends. The bearers were Mrs. Martin Callahan, John O'Brien, Francis O'Keefe. The ushers are the home of the deceased, Mr. King, Mr. Frederick Lynch. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the last rites of the Catholic church were read by Rev. Dennis Sullivan, O. M. I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of James H. McDermott.

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We took stock Thursday and found too many Coats, too many Suits, too many Dresses and too many Waists, etc. ALL go on sale FRIDAY and SATURDAY at most ridiculous prices.

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10 Dozen Waists that sold up to \$1.00, This sale 29c

5 Dozen Silk Waists in Jap., Crepe de Chine, etc., that sold up to \$3.00. At this sale \$1.29

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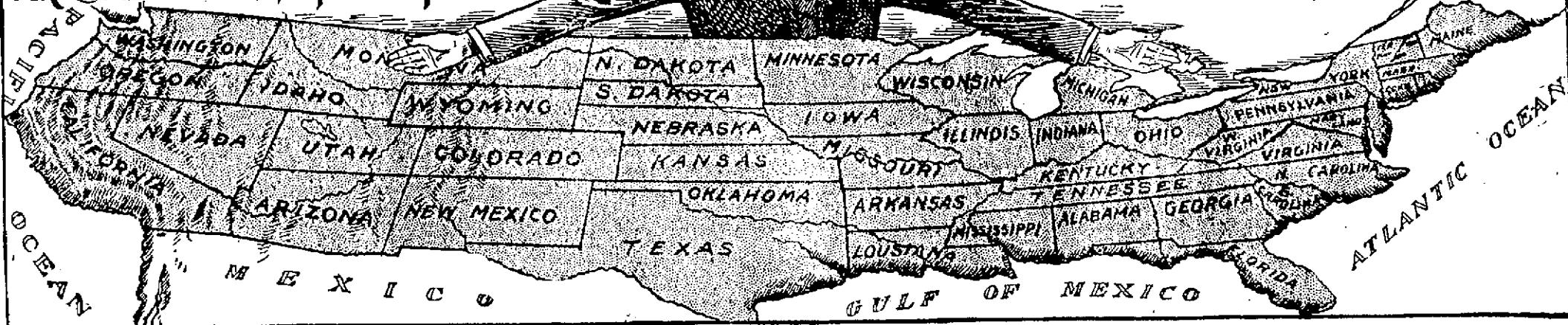
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50 NEW SAMPLE COATS, only one of a kind, including many foreign mixtures. There will be no duplicates. Sizes 16 to 36. Values up to \$25.00.

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Lingerie Waists, made of voile and muslin, trimmed with lace and embroidery, broken lots and counter milled, mostly all samples, very good values, worth \$1. Mill end sale price.....50c

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Silk Waists in all the newest shades and materials, broken lots and sizes, long and short sleeves, flat and convertible collars, worth \$2.50. Mill end sale price.....\$1.50

MILL END SALE OF SILKS

27-inch Seco Silk, plain and dotted, full line of colors, regular price 25c. Mill end sale price 15c
27-inch Fancy Fouard Silk, regular price 29c. Mill end sale price 19c

19-inch Striped and Checked Messaline, regular price 69c. Mill end sale price.....49c
25-inch Shantung Silk, regular price 32c. Mill end sale price 39c

20-inch Fancy Taffeta, regular prices 69c and 75c. Mill end sale price.....49c
35-inch Black Taffeta, regular price \$1.25. Mill end sale price 85c

MILL END SALE OF CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Infants' Long Cashmere Capes, silk lined hood, regular price \$2.50. Mill end sale price.....\$1.98

Infants' Long Slips, regular price 50c. Mill end sale price 25c

Children's Cotton and Wool Shirts, seconds, regular price 25c. Mill end sale price.....15c

Children's Rompers, 2 to 6 years, regular 25c value. Mill end sale price.....19c

Children's Dresses, 2 to 6 years, regular 50c value. Mill end sale price.....29c

Children's Colored Dresses, 6 to 14 years, new fall styles, regular price \$1.50. Mill end sale price 98c

Children's Rain Capes, navy and red, regular price \$1.98. Mill end sale price.....\$1.00

MILL END SALE OF MILLINERY

Black Velvet Hats, 12 of the season's best shapes, best quality velvet, value \$1.25. Mill end sale price.....98c

50 Dozen French Ostrich Plumes, purchased specially for this sale. This plume is 15 inches long, nine inches wide with broad head. Colors. Value \$3.50. Mill end sale price.....\$1.49

100 Trimmed Hats, made of good quality velvet, trimmed with fancies, flowers, jet, silver trimmings, etc., season's best shapes, value \$5.50. Mill end sale price.....\$3.89

25 Dozen Children's Hats, suitable for school wear, one dozen styles, value 75c. Mill end sale price.....59c

White and Colored Felt Hats in large and small sizes, value 60c. Mill end sale price.....48c

Lyons Silk Velvet Hats, trimmed with ostrich fancies, 12 new styles, value \$1.50. Mill end sale price.....\$1.25

Hodge's Fiber Rugs and Matting

\$6.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 6x9. Mill End Sale Price.....\$3.95

\$7.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 7x10-6. Mill End Sale Price \$4.45

\$9.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 8x10-6. Mill End Sale Price \$4.95

\$10.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 9x12. Mill End Sale Price \$4.45

\$11.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 10x12. Mill End Sale Price \$4.95

\$13.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 12x15. Mill End Sale Price \$5.45

\$14.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 14x18. Mill End Sale Price \$5.95

\$16.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 16x20. Mill End Sale Price \$6.45

\$17.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 18x22. Mill End Sale Price \$6.95

\$19.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 20x24. Mill End Sale Price \$7.45

\$20.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 22x26. Mill End Sale Price \$7.95

\$22.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 24x28. Mill End Sale Price \$8.45

\$23.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 26x30. Mill End Sale Price \$8.95

\$25.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 28x32. Mill End Sale Price \$9.45

\$26.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 30x34. Mill End Sale Price \$9.95

\$28.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 32x36. Mill End Sale Price \$10.45

\$29.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 34x38. Mill End Sale Price \$10.95

\$31.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 36x40. Mill End Sale Price \$11.45

\$32.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 38x42. Mill End Sale Price \$11.95

\$34.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 40x44. Mill End Sale Price \$12.45

\$35.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 42x46. Mill End Sale Price \$12.95

\$37.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 44x48. Mill End Sale Price \$13.45

\$38.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 46x50. Mill End Sale Price \$13.95

\$40.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 48x52. Mill End Sale Price \$14.45

\$41.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 50x54. Mill End Sale Price \$14.95

\$43.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 52x56. Mill End Sale Price \$15.45

\$44.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 54x58. Mill End Sale Price \$15.95

\$46.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 56x60. Mill End Sale Price \$16.45

\$47.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 58x62. Mill End Sale Price \$16.95

\$49.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 60x64. Mill End Sale Price \$17.45

\$50.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 62x66. Mill End Sale Price \$17.95

\$52.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 64x68. Mill End Sale Price \$18.45

\$53.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 66x70. Mill End Sale Price \$18.95

\$55.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 68x72. Mill End Sale Price \$19.45

\$56.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 70x74. Mill End Sale Price \$19.95

\$58.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 72x76. Mill End Sale Price \$20.45

\$59.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 74x78. Mill End Sale Price \$20.95

\$61.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 76x80. Mill End Sale Price \$21.45

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\$64.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 80x84. Mill End Sale Price \$22.45

\$65.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 82x86. Mill End Sale Price \$22.95

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\$70.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 88x92. Mill End Sale Price \$24.45

\$71.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 90x94. Mill End Sale Price \$24.95

\$73.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 92x96. Mill End Sale Price \$25.45

\$74.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 94x98. Mill End Sale Price \$25.95

\$76.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 96x100. Mill End Sale Price \$26.45

\$77.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 98x102. Mill End Sale Price \$26.95

\$79.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 100x104. Mill End Sale Price \$27.45

\$80.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 102x106. Mill End Sale Price \$27.95

\$82.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 104x108. Mill End Sale Price \$28.45

\$83.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 106x110. Mill End Sale Price \$28.95

\$85.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 108x112. Mill End Sale Price \$29.45

\$86.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 110x114. Mill End Sale Price \$29.95

\$88.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 112x116. Mill End Sale Price \$30.45

\$89.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 114x118. Mill End Sale Price \$30.95

\$91.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 116x120. Mill End Sale Price \$31.45

\$92.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 118x122. Mill End Sale Price \$31.95

\$94.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 120x124. Mill End Sale Price \$32.45

\$95.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 122x126. Mill End Sale Price \$32.95

\$97.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 124x128. Mill End Sale Price \$33.45

\$98.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 126x130. Mill End Sale Price \$33.95

\$100.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 128x132. Mill End Sale Price \$34.45

\$101.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 130x134. Mill End Sale Price \$34.95

\$103.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 132x136. Mill End Sale Price \$35.45

\$104.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 134x138. Mill End Sale Price \$35.95

\$106.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 136x140. Mill End Sale Price \$36.45

\$107.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 138x142. Mill End Sale Price \$36.95

\$109.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 140x144. Mill End Sale Price \$37.45

\$110.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 142x146. Mill End Sale Price \$37.95

\$112.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 144x148. Mill End Sale Price \$38.45

\$113.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 146x150. Mill End Sale Price \$38.95

\$115.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 148x152. Mill End Sale Price \$39.45

\$116.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 150x154. Mill End Sale Price \$39.95

\$118.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 152x156. Mill End Sale Price \$40.45

\$119.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 154x158. Mill End Sale Price \$40.95

\$121.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 156x160. Mill End Sale Price \$41.45

ROBBED AT GUN POINT BARBED WIRE AND FORTIFICATIONS SEEN THROUGH FIELD GLASSES

STORE HELD UP AT NORTH SAUGUS
AND ATTEMPT TO STOP AUTO
PARTY CAUSE EXCITEMENT

SAUGUS, Sept. 9.—The robbery of a store in North Saugus, shortly followed by the attempted holdup of an automobile party near the Saugus-Wakefield line, caused much excitement here last night and has started the police of this town and Wakefield on the hunt for the robber or robbers.

At 9:30 last night, when no street car was due for some time, a young man entered the variety store and waiting room of Howard F. Kelley at No. 5 Saugus and, finding the proprietor alone, asked him for some cream cakes. Kelley was out of cream cakes, so the visitor said he would take two pounds of crackers.

As Kelley was wrapping up the package he noticed his customer edging toward him and looking up he saw two revolvers pointed at his body and heard the order to throw up his hands. At first he thought it a joke, but the young man again ordered him to throw up his hands or be shot, and to hand over his money.

Kelley tried to make for a ladder leading to his bedroom, where he kept a loaded revolver, but the robber made him stop and, opening the cash register took \$10 in bills and some change, and ran off. Kelley then hurried to his room, got the revolver and, climbing out on the roof, fired five shots at the fugitive without effect.

Later he notified Special Officer William Parker of the Saugus police, who with Chief Thompson and others started to hunt for the young man.

It is supposed that the young robber had a companion outside watching the door, for soon after this robbery an automobile party, driving through North Saugus from Lynn, was ordered to stop by two armed young men. The chauffeur increased the car's speed and the party was soon out of revolver range, though no shots are known to have been fired.

OFF FOR THE CAUCASUS

Grand Duke Nicholas and His Staff Left For New Field Last Evening—Car at Station

ONION, Sept. 9, 6:17 a.m.—A Reuter despatch from Petrograd says that Grand Duke Nicholas and his headquarters staff started for the Caucasus last evening. Emperor Nicholas went to the railroad station to say farewell to the new viceroy.

EX-PRES. TAFT THE SPEAKER

Given a Talk on "Economic and Political Summary of Generation Just Closing"

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 9.—An address by William H. Taft, former president giving an "economic and political summary of the generation just closing" was the feature of the closing session today of the 11th annual convention of the American Bankers association. It is believed that James K. Lynch of San Francisco would be chosen president and Peter W. Goebel of Kansas City, Mo., vice president. Indications were that Col. Fred E. Farnsworth of New York would be reelected secretary and H. P. Gatling of New York, treasurer.

It was generally thought that Kan-



GERMAN OFFICER LOOKING THROUGH BINOCULARS AND VIEW SEEN BY HIM

BERLIN, Sept. 9.—Among the careful preparations of the German army authorities in equipping the soldiers was the provision of an ample supply of excellent field glasses for the officers who might require them. Observation of the enemy's positions is rendered thereby far more easy and results are observed in increased accuracy of artillery fire. Photographs received from the Russian front near Sochaczew, show officers observing the Russian positions and views of barbed wire entanglements, fortifications, etc., as seen through the glasses.

VON BERNHARDI AT FRONT

THE FAMOUS GERMAN MILITARY WRITER IS ASSIGNED TO A FIELD COMMAND

BERLIN, Sept. 9, via London 11:30 a.m.—General Friedrich A. J. von Bernhardi at his own request has been assigned to a field command by Emperor William. He has already left for the front.

Gen. von Bernhardi is one of the best known military writers of Germany. In a book entitled "Germany and the Next War" written in 1912, he forecasted many of the main features of the present campaign. Before going to the front he served as commander of the Fifteenth army corps, which consists of home units.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

BILLERICA

A tea Pollard circle. Ladies of the G. A. R. held their regular sewing circle yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lenora Brewster, Billerica Centre. Interest and business was taken up and plans were made for the fair to be held next month. Following the business meeting refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

Sidney A. Bull will give a talk on "East and West" at the meeting of the Billerica Grange, 223, to be held this evening in Grange hall. A musical program will also be given.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to my friends and relatives who by their acts of kindness words of comfort and floral offerings helped to lighten the burden of sorrow in the death of my brother, Joseph Hahn. I assure all that I deeply appreciate all kindnesses.

Geo. Hahn.

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BROTHERS TAKE VOWS VILNA, MENACED BY TEUTON ADVANCE ON IMPORTANT CITY

RETREAT AT OBLATE NOVITiate
MARKED BY IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY—YOUNG MEN JOIN ORDER

The annual retreat of the fathers and brothers of the Oblate Novitiate in Tewksbury closed yesterday morning with a very impressive ceremony at which sixteen young men pronounced their vows.

This retreat was conducted in a very able manner by Rev. T. Franklin Wood, O. M. I., of the Sacred Heart church, who displayed untiring zeal in promoting its success.

The Very Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., provincial, officiated at the ceremony and was assisted by the Rev. E. J. Strauss, O. M. I., the new superior of the Tewksbury scholasticate. Rev. Fr. Wood addressing the candidates portrayed the nobility of the sacrifice they were making, its dignities and its duties, and closed by congratulating them and their relatives on their decision to devote their lives to the work of the Master.

Vows were taken by brothers as follows: perpetual, J. M. English, O. M. I., of Groveland, Mass.; T. F. Curry, O. M. I., of North Chehmsford; A. E. Merrill, O. M. I., of Lawrence; F. J. Hill, O. M. I., of Buffalo; J. B. McCartin, O. M. I., of Lowell. Second year vows: C. H. Strassberger, O. M. I., of Buffalo; J. J. O'Sullivan, O. M. I., of Lawrence; C. J. McCullough, O. M. I., of Ontario; T. J. Coffey, O. M. I., and G. F. Fox, O. M. I., of South Boston; J. A. Cooney, O. M. I., of Buffalo; W. W. Noonan, O. M. I., and H. P. Brennan, O. M. I., of Lowell. First year vows: A. A. Unger, O. M. I., of Ottawa and J. J. Powers, O. M. I., of Ontario. Three year vows: F. J. Murphy, O. M. I., of Dorchester.

REPAIR WRONG SCHOOL

THROUGH MISUNDERSTANDING DODGEVILLE IS GIVEN HE-BRONVILLE'S WORK

ATTLEROBORO, Sept. 8.—Through a misunderstanding of orders the Dodgeville Kindergarten school has been renovated and Hebronville where the appropriation should have been expended, is wondering where it comes in on improvements promised.

The school board let out the contract recently and in due time received word from the contractor that everything has been fixed up O.K., though the work was more extensive than anticipated by the workmen.

Members of the school committee started out yesterday to inspect the job. When they entered the Hebronville Kindergarten the officials pinched each other to see if they were awake. No signs of repairs were in evidence. The longer the men pondered, the greater the mystery.

On the way home the official incidentally stopped in at the Dodgeville school. The joke was disclosed, for a nicely renovated kindergarten met their view.

What Hebronville has lost Dodgeville has gained, so it's an ill wind that doesn't blow somebody good. Dodgeville feels.

CENTRALVILLE M. E. CHURCH
There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Centralville M. E. church held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. E. Swapp, 379 Beacon st., with Mrs. Russell Fox and Mrs. Swapp as hostesses. Routine business was discussed and two new members were admitted. The captain of the self-denial contest reported that the red team had won, and the matter of holding a supper preceding the second and third quarterly conference on Wednesday, Sept. 22, was discussed. Piano solos were given by Miss Mildred Beals and refreshments were served.

FRED YELLE BEATS TOM MOORE
PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 9.—Fred Yelle of Taunton, Mass., bested Tommy Moore of this city in the main bout at the Rhode Island A. C. here last night. Yelle led all the way and outside of the 12th round, had a big advantage. In the semi-final, Eddie Keichel of Grand Rapids got the decision over Charley Perrilli of New York.

THE BUREAU OF MINES

VAN H. MANNING, NEW HEAD
WAS BORN IN HORN LAKE DE-
POT, MISS., DEC. 15, 1861

Vannoy H. Manning, the new head of the bureau of mines, was born in Horn Lake Depot, Miss., Dec. 15, 1861. His father, Vannoy H. Manning, Sr., represented the Second Mississippi district in congress. He holds the



degree of A. B. from the University of Mississippi. He is married and has two children. For more than twenty years he was engaged in technical and scientific work under the department of the interior. From 1885 to 1910, as civil engineer and in the United States geological survey, he engaged in topographic mapping in nearly every state in the Union. In addition to scientific work he has long held administrative positions in the government service.

TENDERED SHOWER

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Miss Leonine Achin, who will be married to Maurice Brassard, a well known drug clerk at the Lowell pharmacy next Tuesday morning, was tendered a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening the affair being held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irene Mineau, 124 Germantown avenue. The event was attended by about 50 lady friends of the young woman and all spent a most enjoyable evening.

In the early part of the evening Miss Irene Malhot read an address and among the many things presented the future bride was a handsome cathedral glass dome. A musical program was given and a buffet luncheon was served. The organizer of the affair was a close friend of Miss Achin, Miss Lilian Mineau.

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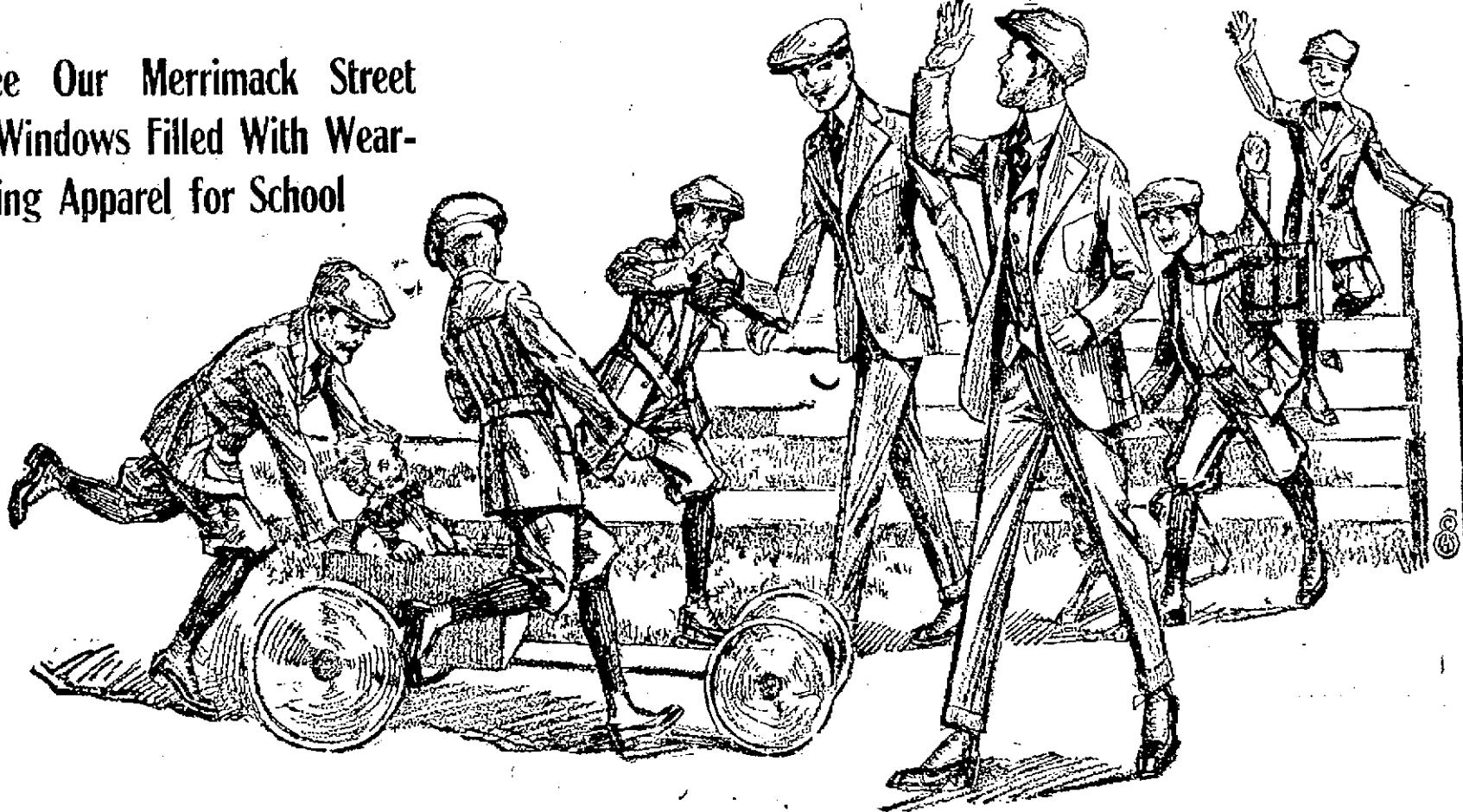
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Children's Black Cat Hose, guaranteed
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Little Boys' School Shoes, made of satin calf, blucher
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Priced 98c

Boys' School Shoes, double soles, blucher
style, made for hard wear. Priced \$1.50

Boys' School Shoes, blucher and button, gun metal and
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ing shoe made for boys and girls in black and tan, all
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For the Misses, in white with blue
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Children's Gingham Dresses in new styles and materials, sizes 6 to 14. Priced 49c and \$2.98

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Suits in gray and brown
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REMOVAL OF GRAND DUKE

BERLIN PAPER PAYS TRIBUTE TO
HIM AS A BRAVE AND HONOR-
ABLE ENEMY AND ABLE LEADER

BERLIN, Sept. 9, via London, 12:23
p.m.—The removal of Grand Duke
Nicholas from the commandership in
chief of the Russian armies is the text
of long articles in Berlin newspapers
this morning. The Tagblatt says the

grand duke was removed because, not-
withstanding his undeniable gifts in
the strategy of retreating, he bears
the responsibility for the Russian
catastrophe in Poland and Galicia.

A view more frequently expressed is
that the retirement of the grand duke
was dictated by political reasons and
aimed particularly at the party repre-
sented by the present Russian govern-
ment which had grown too strong.

The Lokal Anzeiger says the dis-
placement of the grand duke removes
the government's strongest sup-
porter and means a loss to the army

which in turn the appointed leader
will find in him a former com-
mander in chief as a brave and hon-
orable enemy and an able leader.

The Morgenpost on the other hand,
terms Grand Duke Nicholas "a brutal
and bloody man, without talent for
leadership," and the "destroyer of his
army, his land and his people."

It adds that the moment demands a
leader of titanic strength, and asserts
that "this complete cipher as a leader
of Russian armies" has been discred-
ited by his defeat.

The Vossische Zeitung finds in Em-
peror Nicholas' mere "final proof of
the approaching break down of the
army and state." It asserts that the
government, in view of repeated de-
feats, saw itself compelled to summon
leaders for the army and that the

political position of the grand duke
made the decision of the emperor.

The Boerner Zeitung views the
change as having been directed
against certain circles in the inner
political life of Russia, and believes
it may be calculated also to impress
the other members of the quadruple
entente with the feeling that Russia
is doing everything possible to ward
off impending events.

The Tagesschule Zeitung says: "One hard-
ly errs in ascribing, along with the
military significance, just as impor-
tant, political significance to the
change."

The grand ducal party, whose
head was the former commander in
chief, has sustained a very real de-
feat."

expressed his views in a conversation
with Etienne Lamy, the French ac-
ademician published today in the Petit
Parisien.

"Past wars," President Motta is
quoted as saying, "affected only bel-
licants, but nowadays owing to
the change in ideas, habits
and wealth, there is a community
among peoples. The rupture of this
community by war between certain
states affects all the rest."

"The will of neutrals is less respect-
ed in time of war. It is not then
sufficient that they await the end of
the conflict. For them passiveness has
ceased to be a duty and energy has
become the proper policy. They have

a right to raise their voice against
war, because they are its victims. It
is legitimate for them to unite their
influences because they are injured in
common, but the hour has not come
for that effort. Words like spent bul-
lets, which glance off the armor of bel-
licants without penetrating it, but

armor finally becomes heavy even for
the strongest arms."

"The first sign of that fatigue will
not find Switzerland inattentive or hes-
itant. She will act in concert with
other neutral governments, convinced
as she is that the cause of peace is
the cause of all. Necessary peace is
not one which will be glorious, for it
cannot be glorious to all but equita-
ble justice alone is lasting in its ef-
fects."

SON OF IRISH M. P. DEAD

old was killed in the Dardanelles
fighting. Prior to his receiving his
commission of lieutenant in the Fus-
iliers on volunteering, he was a

captain recently with his division
for the Dardanelles, and before his
death was gazetted captain. He was
only a week landed when he was

killed. His father, John Fitzgibbons, was a
leader in the cattle driving campaign
by which the vast pasture lands of the

Irish landlords were broken up and the
land divided up into farms for the peo-
ple. Mr. Fitzgibbons spoke in Asso-
ciate Hall here with Mr. Redmond.

Capt. Fitzgibbons, dashing young
soldier, fell in fight at the
Dardanelles.

In the latest Irish papers received
there is chronicled the death of Capt.
John Fitzgibbons, the Irish member of par-
liament, who accompanied John Red-
mond, the Irish leader on one of his
visits to this country.

Capt. Fitzgibbons, who was 23 years

old, was killed in the Dardanelles
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SIGNS OF PROSPERITY

At the present time the trade papers and commercial journals are more optimistic than they have been for some time over the future of American business, and the newspapers of all sections are filled with indubitable evidences of returning prosperity. New England has been affected by this prosperity wave less than any other part of the country, but here too there are signs of better times. This growth has been gradual and sound, and it resembles more the normal advance of general business than any inflation arising from war conditions.

There are reports of improvement in the railroad situation, and earnings are greater. Building operations have been resumed, shown not only in the erection of large manufacturing plants but in the brisk sale of building materials. Munition orders are still swelling our output of manufactured products and the crop outlook is exceptionally good. All the large industries which are regarded as barometric are booming, and the depression which obtains in some parts of the country is for the greater part needless and imaginary. Basic conditions are sound and they are improving consistently.

It was feared in the south that the war situation would affect the cotton crop adversely but such does not appear to have been the case. It had been expected that Great Britain would put it on the contraband list and the market had made arrangements accordingly. The normal demand of Austria and Germany is about 2,600,000 bales, but increased demands in other quarters will eat this up and it is probable that the full empire will buy considerable of the usual amount and store it until the war is over.

The textile industry has experienced great improvement and the textile journals are predicting unusual prosperity. The woolen mills are for the most part working on large orders for uniforms, blankets, etc., and the domestic trade is brisk. The cotton mills have been relieved from the burden of foreign competition, and their exports are greater than usual. The total value of cotton goods exported for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1915, was \$71,972,497 as compared with \$51,467,233 in the previous year, and conditions are far better now than then. Some embarrassment is being caused by the shortage of dyestuffs, but that is passing, and when the war is over America will have recovered from its utter dependence on any foreign power for such a necessary commodity.

While the country can keep away from foreign complications, there is no cause for worry as to our business future, and the settlement of the difficulties with Germany is already reflected in better conditions. There still remains the trouble with Great Britain over the needless and illegal detention of American cargoes but this is not acute enough to presage a change in relations. All who speak with any business authority assure the country that prosperity is sure to develop more and more, and even New England is basking in the sun of trade extension.

While this is true, it is also true that there is a considerable feeling of conservatism and uncertainty in this section of the country. There is no need for it as there is every business inducement for the public to spend money liberally in the ways of trade. Needless hoarding of money is one of the most fruitful causes of industrial and commercial stagnation, and the New England public ought have no fear of the future which is more rosy than the most sanguine had anticipated a year ago.

THE BLUNDERING DUMBA

Austrian Ambassador Dumba made an unqualified blunder in striving to send a secret message to his government to the effect that Austrian subjects in this country should be forbidden to work in munition factories. It was a blunder in the deepest sense, but it was worse. It was an act which bordered on a crime against this country and it certainly was not in line with American neutrality which demands that the war of the old world be kept out of the new. Incidentally, it was a tactless proceeding, showing that Mr. Dumba's sense of diplomatic niceties is not over delicate, nor his personal honor deeply rooted. His offence may result in a complaint from President Wilson to the Austrian government, if not to his prompt recall.

So far as Austrian or Hungarian subjects in this country are concerned, it is unbelievable that our government should permit their being used as pawns in the war game. American law and American institutions come first, and any such command as Ambassador Dumba favored would be obnoxious to this country. If Austrian subjects in American factories obeyed such an order, deportation would be too good for them, and it would be entirely just to send them back to the government which claimed their first loyalty. America realizes that Austrians and Germans will sympathize with their respective governments, but they cannot be permitted to work against the true interests of America nor the dignity of the American government. The discovery of the day

streets, and those which are found necessary are being designed more and more artistically. The most beautiful street is often defaced by a multiplicity of ugly poles with their complement of wires, and some effective improvements are marred by the same combination. Some Massachusetts cities have compelled the public service companies to use the poles jointly so as to do away with those that are not strictly necessary, but it is gratifying to find that our companies attend to this voluntarily. If the three local companies continue to eliminate poles that are not needed, there will be less talk of an ordinance which would force the putting of all wires underground.

GOLD NOT WANTED

New York bankers are not pleased at the method Great Britain is taking for the restoration of the credit in this country. Another shipment of gold coin to the value of \$65,000 is on its way to New York where the vaults are full of gold and at a time when the gold reserve in the national banks has reached a total of \$268,000,000. Financiers point out that there is great danger of an over supply which might be productive of just as much injury to the institutions of the country as a shortage. Consequently there is no enthusiasm over the great shipments of gold from England via Halifax, though the average citizen may look upon it as an evidence of rare good fortune.

If the great bankers of this country had their way they would like to have the allies raise large loans here at a good rate of interest, thus restoring their credit by a financial move that would bring great returns to this country. England shows no disposition to do this while she has gold in abundance, and very naturally in her international transactions she is more concerned with her own interests than ours.

The allies still have large holdings of gold. The appeal of the French government to the people, to change their coin for paper money brought in over \$100,000,000 since May 27, and a similar request recently made by England increased the reserve in the bank of England enormously. The allies, therefore, prefer to pay in gold for their supplies and in consequence over \$200,000,000 in gold has been imported into this country since January last. This leaves America open to the danger of inflation and speculation, and it is being viewed with alarm by American bankers. The prominence of this country in international finance is well attested by this reluctance of American financiers to handle any more gold from Europe.

THE PARK COMMISSION

It is more pleasing to praise than to blame, and just as we were moved to condemn certain proclivities of park commissioners in the past, we are moved to commend the businesslike attitude of the park commissioners of the present. The regular meeting held Tuesday evening, made pleasant reading, and if the attitude manifested by all the members present keeps up we may expect an efficient administration of our park affairs. There was a hearty spirit of cooperation and unity of purpose, and each committee head reported intelligently and fully on the work accomplished during the season, or made sensible recommendations for the future.

Mr. Harvey B. Greene did a graceful act in presenting recommendations for the committee on playgrounds that bespeak the thanks of those interested to all who aided the cause. The playground work was unusually notable this year, and all who aided in the work deserved public praise. Mr. Clarence M. Weed made practical and workable recommendations which may be carried out without undue expenditure. He apparently realizes the futility of attempting schemes which would call for more money than is forthcoming. It is pleasant to hear park commissioners talk of beds of white lilies instead of indulging in petty bickerings and attacks that lead to permanent friction. Supt. Kieran also gave a consistent and intelligible monthly report showing that the small routine tasks of the department were well attended to, and Commissioner Rountree showed his characteristic zeal for upholding the dignity and efficiency of the body. Altogether it was meeting which, if taken for a model, will raise the park department in the estimation of the public and restore a confidence that was in danger of being dissipated.

JOINT USE OF POLES

The hearing on the petition of the Lowell Electric Light corporation and the Bay State company for joint pole locations on Gorham street seems to indicate that the necessity for doing away with as many poles as possible is dawning on our public service companies. It was brought out that not only the light and transportation companies but also the telephone company would use many poles jointly, thus being enabled to abandon a number of the poles now in use. It is inconceivable that the companies would have petitioned without ascertaining the feasibility of the plan, and if conditions are as represented, permission should be granted.

There is a movement all over the country for the elimination of as many poles as possible from the public

streets, and those which are found necessary are being designed more and more artistically. The most beautiful street is often defaced by a multiplicity of ugly poles with their complement of wires, and some effective improvements are marred by the same combination. Some Massachusetts cities have compelled the public service

of his best stories. Dion Clayton Calthrop has written nothing since the war began. Rupert Brooke, one of the most promising of England's younger poets, was killed in the Dardanelles last April. The American writer Arthur Bullard, whose name do plumb is Albert Edwards, is studying war conditions at the front and is in no mood for fiction. There will be no new novel of his this year.

Arthur Barr, son of the late Robert Barr, has been in the trenches since the beginning of the war, serving with the Seaforth Highlanders. Lincoln Colcord has turned from fiction to verse and written a poem in glorification of war called "A Vision of War." Zona Gale has dramatized the Peace Conference in a book called "Hearts' Content," which will be published in November. Meanwhile it is announced that a new novel by H. G. Wells, "The Research Magnificent," and one by Eden Philpotts, "Old Delabole," neither of which is inspired by the war, will be published in this country this month.

TEST CATHEDRAL

The autumn winds are blowing cold. The mists descend on earth and sea, and all the ways of summer flee. So, as in nomad days of old, We strike our moving tent, and fold With sighs its wind-blown canopy.

The summer ended, harvest past, No more upon the evening air Shall fall wise counsel, and the pray-like bread upon the waters cast, That bringeth sure return at last. To all who speak and hearkened there.

So, move we on to other fields And other pastures for our souls; But while the sorrowing planet rolls, Be sure the regent hand that wieldeth God's scythe above the harvest fields Shall gather also winter's tolls.

—M. E. Buhler.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Hope So!
War between the United States and Great Britain is too improbable to be prepared against.—Lowell Sun.

Get the Brute
The brutal murder of Judge Knowles in Rhode Island was the most reprehensible act of labor day.—Manchester Mirror.

Second the Motion
If Evelyn doesn't contest Thaw's divorce suit she will deserve the thanks of the United States.—Brockton Enterprise.

Foss and Fitz
There are enough live issues in this campaign without opening family closets.—Fall River Herald.

Alas! Alas!
What can we hope for, when the friends of peace fight among themselves?—Portland Express.

'Tis Coming
The talk of "freedom of the seas" sounds fine, but how about the freedom of Belgium?—Springfield Union.

The City of It
It is announced that no further investigation of the Frank Lynch will be made.—Meriden Journal.

Glory Won't Do It
"Hill lost, glory won," reads a British despatch from the Dardanelles.—Boston Times.

Home, This Year
Twelve million people have thus far seen the San Francisco exposition.—Holyoke Transcript.

Aw, Guess Yourself
Is peace near at hand?—Woonsocket Call.

It is in Worry
The report that von Tirpitz has resigned his post as minister of marine in the German cabinet may be unfounded.—Johnstown Democrat.

But it Helps
Idleness can not be cured by whipping the boy.—Lawrence Tribune.

Two days ago two pretty girls appeared on the walk. The wind blew, and from the best possible source it was learned that each girl wore one lavender stocking and one black. Other girls who saw them could not decide whether the girls were roommates and switched stockings by mistake or were leaders of a new vague.

"So, to be on the safe side, at least twenty girls appeared on the boardwalk today. The wind blew. Each wore one black silk stocking, while the other was any one of a dozen vivid hues."

Contrast in Stockings
Here is a despatch from Atlantic City that will interest some of our Lowell ladies who make a specialty of wearing attractive stockings:

"ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 7.—The boardwalk has offered a new suggestion to the world of, in a manner of speaking, fashion.

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Atlantic City has nothing on Merrimack square for while we have not paid special attention to the latest style of ladies' hose, one of the habits of the square informs us that while the colors are "loud" he has seen no case in which any lady's stockings were strikingly unmatched, but he did see—only yesterday—a lady wearing one tan shoe with the other black. It is seldom, he said, that he pays any attention to women's footwear, but in this particular case he could not help glancing down at the lone tan shoe.

War Affects Authors

The book market in England as well as in this country has begun to feel the effect of the war in many respects besides the tremendous load of war books with which it is now glutted. Almost 25 well known English writers and one or two of our own are now serving in the trenches. Among them are W. B. Maxwell, A. E. W. Mason, Ian Hay, Hugh Walpole and others. Arnold Bennett is still writing, but devotes most of his time to work in aid of the soldiers. Robert Hichens has postponed all work on account of the war, and Barry Patten will publish nothing this year but a collected edition

J. F. McNAMARA OF BOSTON THREW FIRE HORSES TO SAVE HIS CHIEF

BOSTON, Sept. 9.—Driver J. F. McNamara of Ladd & Friend street, through his presence of mind last night averted a serious accident while responding to a two-alarm fire on Dunstable street, Charlestown, when he turned three horses attached to the big truck into the sidewalk on Rutherford avenue, near Chapman street.

Ladd & Friend was one of the in-town pieces of apparatus to respond to the second alarm, and was going up Rutherdale avenue at a rapid clip when the poor horse stumbled and fell.

Acting District Chief Hines of the West End was coming behind the big truck with in a few yards in his auto, at a moderate clip, when the horse stumbled.

McNamara saw that the other two horses would go down and they all went on the ground toward the side walk. He urged the horses over just in time for Chief Hines' machine shot by, grazing the ground and one of the horses on the approach and one of the horses on the ground. All three animals were cut and bruised, but not seriously; and continued on to the fire, a few blocks distant.

Chief Hines later said that it was about as narrow an escape as he ever had.

The fire was a dangerous one in the lumber yards and storage sheds of the A. M. Wood Lumber company at 31 Dunstable street, in the center of the lumber and stable district of Charlestown and within 100 yards of the Boston and Maine bay sheds.

District Chief Shallow of Charlestown found the flames shooting out of the big storage shed, where thousands of feet of dry lumber were stored. He immediately ordered a second alarm.

The cause of the fire could not be found last night.

A. M. Wood, owner of the company, told the chief he thought it may have been due to crossed wires.

Chief McDonough stated that had the fire gained a little more headway it would have swept the section near Rutherford avenue with little difficulty. The damage was estimated at \$1000.

CAUSED BY CARELESSNESS

If you are constipated it is your own fault. It is caused by carelessness and can be corrected by cultivating careful habits.

Diet is of the first importance, then

exercise and the use of a laxative until healthful habits are established.

Barbit purgatives are harmful and make matters worse but Pinklets,

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Write for free sample or get a full-size, 25-cent bottle of Pinklets from your own druggist. A booklet on "Constipation, Its Causes and Treatment" will be mailed free on request.

Your Opportunity to Visit California

The hearing on the petition of the Lowell Electric Light corporation and the Bay State company for joint pole locations on Gorham street seems to indicate that the necessity for doing away with as many poles as possible is dawning on our public service companies.

It was brought out that not only the light and transportation companies but also the telephone company would use many poles jointly, thus being enabled to abandon a number of the poles now in use.

It is inconceivable that the companies would have petitioned without ascertaining the feasibility of the plan, and if conditions are as represented, permission should be granted.

There is a movement all over the country for the elimination of as many poles as possible from the public

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LOWELL MEN ELECTED

F. X. RIVET AND J. H. GUILLET HONORED IN FRANCO-AMERICAN FORESTERS

FITCHBURG, Sept. 9.—Dr. A. H. Quessy of this city was elected supreme chief forester of the Franco-American Foresters at the closing session of the biennial convention here yesterday. The election followed a strenuous contest with Dr. J. N. Carpenter of this city opposing Dr. Quessy, who won out by 11 votes. Wooscocket was chosen for the 1917 convention.

Other supreme officers elected were Philip Erard, Springfield, vice chief forester; Dr. J. P. Bouvier, Whitinsville, secretary; T. Desroier, Worcester, treasurer; W. J. Mathewson, treasurer; financial secretary; Joseph Bertrand, Gardner, first guard; C. J. Perrot, Brimfield, second guard; John Morgan, Webster, first sentinel; Henry J. Holmes, Winchester, Alfred Berger, L. Demetigne, Nashua, N. H., trustees; F. X. Rivet, Lowell, past chief forester; I. H. Thompson of Gardner, forester.

Immediately after the election the offices were installed by Past Chief Forester T. Thompson of Gardner.

The convention passed resolutions approving the policy followed by President Wilson in handling the European situation and also sent messages of greetings to the pope and Bishop Beaven of the Springfield diocese.

The convention was brought to a close last night with a banquet for the delegates at which Gov. Walsh was the principal speaker and guest. Dr. Quessy was master of ceremonies. The other speakers included ex-Gov. A. J.

LAWRENCE TEAM SUED LUYSTER IS FINED \$50

BOY SCOUTS' GALA DAY FOR FOOT BALL TEAM

WHILE PLAYERS ARE WAITING
FOR THEIR BACK PAY—NO PAY
SINCE AUG. 14

LAWRENCE, Sept. 9.—The Lawrence club has been sued by the New London club of the Eastern association. New London seeks to recover the sum of \$200 alleged to be owed by the locals for player Larry Mahoney. The New London club further seeks to recover \$100, said to have been advanced to the player when he signed a New London contract last winter. Mahoney was traded to New London for Jake Warner. The New London club did not start as the league suspended for the season. Manager H. Eugene McCann sold Mahoney to Lawrence. The writ has been served on representatives of the Lawrence team.

Manager A. F. Pearson of the Lawrence team left Tuesday morning for his home in West Bridgewater, Pa. The other players are still in town. They waited all morning at the club office in the Ryden building, for the "ghost to walk." They were to be paid off at 11, but at that time there was no one put in an appearance with anything like money to pay out. Some of the players need the money for transportation back home. They have not been paid since "Pennant Day," Saturday, August 14.

Manager Pearson was obliged to leave Lawrence without having been paid up.

The players were still on guard at 2 o'clock, but the cashier was absent.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

Kimball vs. South Ends at Spalding park, Saturday.

Westford vs. Granville at Granville Saturday.

Lisbons vs. Maples at Lincoln park Saturday.

The manager of the Lawrence Mfg. Co. states that if the South Ends will not play a series of the games for the local championship his team will claim it.

The Clipper A. C. would like to arrange a game with the South End Jrs. or the Riverides for Saturday. Answer through this paper or to Mr. Nugent, 27 West Fourth street.

The Elm players are requested to report at the South common tonight at 6 o'clock. The manager of the Elms would like to meet the manager of the Mysterians at Carl's at 8 o'clock.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American
Philadelphia 1, Boston 0 (first game).
Boston 13, Philadelphia 2 (second game).
Chicago 10, Detroit 9.
Washington 1, New York 0.
St. Louis 5, Cleveland 4.

National
Boston 12, Brooklyn 1, (first game).
Boston 4, Brooklyn 1, (second game).
Philadelphia 4, New York 3.
St. Louis 2, Chicago 0.

Federal
Kansas City 7, Pittsburgh 2 (first game).
Kansas City 0, Pittsburgh 0 (second game).
(3 innings, called.)
Brooklyn 3, Newark 4 (first game).
Brooklyn 3, Newark 0 (second game).
Buffalo 5, Baltimore 0 (first game).
Buffalo 5, Baltimore 4 (second game).

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LAWRENCE OUTFIELDER FAILED TO APPEAR HERE LAST SATURDAY

PAWTUCKETVILLE SCOUTS HAD MOST ENJOYABLE TIME ON TEXTILE SCHOOL CAMPUS

The fourth annual gala day of the Pawtucketville Boy Scouts was held Monday on the Textile school campus and the result of the sporting events was as follows:

One-mile run: Fremont Nichols, first; watch; Frederick Mulgrave, second; watch;

One-half mile run: First, Master Sheldon, cap links; second, Master Gilford, stick pin;

Two-yard dash: First, Fremont Nichols, cribbage board; second, Fred Mulgrave, jackknife;

Three-legged race: Sturtevant and Hoyle, first, drinking cups;

Shoe and stocking race: First, Jas. Edwards, collar button holder; second, Chester Patton, pencil holder;

Married men's race: Won by Officer Jeffries, pendulum;

Wine and nail driving contest: Won by Mrs. Flint, chocolate set;

Throwing baseball: Won by Mildred Laharie, talcum powder;

Sawing wood contest: Won by Mrs. Kellman, apron;

30 yard dash, woman: Won by Mrs. Kellman, box of chocolates;

High jump: First, Fremont Nichols, cuff links; second, Clarence Armstrong, necklace.

HIGH SCHOOL CANDIDATES MET COACH CONWAY AT MOUNTAIN ROCK YESTERDAY

The candidates for the Lowell High school football team to the number of 18 went out to Mountain Rock yesterday for their first session of practice and were in charge of James Conway, the new school coach, and Captain James Flane.

Twelve games already have been arranged which will include games with Lawrence and Ayerhill and with the Textile school.

Coach Conway, who is a Harvard man, outlined a new style of attack and something new in the line of aggressiveness which will be tried out by the team this season.

A meeting of the candidates for the team was held at the high school this morning at which the situation was talked over.

The boys who put in an appearance yesterday looked pretty good to the new coach.

WON SILVER CUP

Albert Nabes of Lowell Captured Second Prize in Two Mile Race at Maynard

Albert Nehes, the local runner and roller skater, has decided to train for the one and two mile events on the cinder path, and he feels confident that he will be able to show his heels to many in this vicinity over that distance. He returned yesterday from Maynard, where on Monday he captured second place in the two mile race at the United Textile Workers' outing. He covered the distance in ten minutes, eight and two-tenths seconds, just two yards behind the winner. He was tricked in the race, as the winner had three colleagues who set out to defeat the Lowell runner. At intervals the trio raced out in front and set the pace. The Lowell boy made a mistake in trying to follow the pace makers, who in turn dropped out and then when the final dash came, Nehes was weak. He reserved sufficient strength, however, to make the winner go at his best to breeze over the line in the lead.

Last year Nehes won the race, and he was looked upon as the favorite Monday, but the team work against him was too much and he had to be content with second prize, a silver cup. There were nine starters but only three finished.

GAMES TOMORROW

American
Philadelphia at Boston.
Washington at New York.
Detroit at Cleveland.

National League
Boston at Pittsburgh.
New York at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

SCHOONER CAUGHT IN GALE

NORFOLK, Va., Sept. 9.—The schooner Lucretia Sutton, which sailed from Newport News on August 21 with coal for Rio Janeiro was back in Hampton Roads today for repairs after a battle with a tremendous gale. The storm which was encountered 500 miles east of Cape Henry, blew the schooner off her course and for three days the crew worked at the pumps fighting back the water that leaked in through opened seams.

NAT HERRESHOFF TO WED

BRISTOL, R. I., Sept. 9.—Nathaniel G. Herreshoff, the celebrated designer and builder of yachts of this place, and Miss Ann Roebuck of Providence, a professional nurse, are soon to be married.

McMillan of the Boston Journal calls the kind of games the Red Sox have been playing "wrist-watch baseball."

Order seats early. Phone 261-2816.

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STRIP FINGERS AND EARS OF GEMS WORTH \$10,000

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Owney Talas, for two and one-half months a half boy in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Nichols, the aged widow who met death last night at the hands of masked men who robbed her of gems valued at \$10,000, was arrested today after he had confessed, the police assert, to having played a part in the crime. He was formally charged with murder. All other servants in the house were freed of suspicion, Deputy Police Commissioner Lord announced.

Preliminary examination of Mrs. Nichols' body revealed the probability that she had died of fright and not of strangulation as at first supposed, Mr. Lord said. An autopsy to be performed today will disclose the exact cause of death.

Although the burglars stripped their victim's fingers and ears of diamonds and other jewels worth \$10,000, they failed to rifle the strong box in her safe, in which she kept gems valued at \$250,000 to \$300,000.

Detectives working on the case ascertained soon after reaching the house that they believed the robbers had the assistance from someone on the premises. Accordingly they sought friends of the half boy, found five of them in Harlem, and took them to a station house for interrogation.

The maid, the cook and the butler, in addition to Owney Talas also were closely questioned. The cook and the butler both were out of the house at the time, it was said, the former having gone to a moving picture show and the latter having his regular night off. The maid and Talas told virtually the same story—that masked men had forced their way into the house, overpowered them, tied and gagged them and then attacked the widow. The chief difference in their stories was that the maid said there were two masked men and the half boy said three.

Mrs. Nichols, in the opinion of the police, resisted the masked burglars with all the strength her 60 years permitted.

Mr. Lord said today that a preliminary examination of the body showed

that she had died of fright and that, notwithstanding the cloth drawn tightly around her neck when the body was found, she had not been strangled.

With Mrs. Nichols lying dead on the floor of her room, the half boy apparently unconscious from a blow on the head from the butt of a revolver, and the maid bound and gagged in the servants' quarters, the masked robbers looted the premises. Diamond rings were stripped from their victim's fingers and the earrings also were taken. The value of these gems was placed today at about \$10,000.

The key to Mrs. Nichols' strong box, which she carried on a string around her neck, was reported missing when the body was found. The box, in a safe in the house, contained, it was estimated, gems worth from \$250,000 to \$300,000, and examination today showed that the safe and its contents were intact.

The thieves then left the premises without detection. After the maid, according to the story told the police, had struggled half an hour she untied the knots around her wrists and then finally freed herself altogether. Then she liberated Talas who also had been bound, and the alarm was given.

Talas and the maid were kept up virtually all night by detectives who made them repeat again and again the stories they had told. Commissioner Lord said today that there were many minor discrepancies in their accounts. Significance was placed by the police in a statement attributed to the cook, Leonie Tivonen, that on leaving the house an hour before the crime was committed she had met a former employee of Mrs. Nichols, who after leaving her employer had frequently called at the house and borrowed money from other servants there. Two other men, the cook said, were loitering nearby. The former employee accosted her, walked a bit with her, tried to make an appointment and, failing, turned back and rejoined his companions. Mr. Lord said that Talas, the half boy, had been seen to leave the premises several times to converse with men in front of the house.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing; Tobin's, Asso. Bldg. If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 168 Merrimack street.

J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

A new line thin model, 12 size, Waltham-watches, gold filled very classy. Millard F. Wood, Jeweler, 101 Merrimack street.

A municipal band concert will be given at Lenox park, corner of Lenox and South Whipple streets Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Spindle City band, James P. Lefelin, conductor.

"What Part Should the Agricultural College Have in the Future Development of Our State?" will be the topic of discussion at the meeting of Salem, (N. H.) grange to be held tomorrow evening in Masonic hall.

T. M. Maguire, a former Lowell boy, attended an engagement at the Pastime theatre at Oak Bluffs yesterday. He left today for Leominster where he has accepted a position in the Music Hall theatre.

The many friends of Miss Margaret O'Conor of the N. E. Nelson Co. will be pleased to learn that she is able to be about again after a very dangerous attack of ptomaine poisoning, caused by eating salmon sandwich purchased in a local lunch room.

Thomas Dugas, who was arrested in this city early last evening on a warrant charging him with breaking and entering and larceny of clothing and money in Manchester, N. H., was taken to the New Hampshire city today. Dugas was arrested in his lodging house by Inspector Walsh.

Fast Chief N. McN. Waters gave an interesting report of the proceedings at the royal convention of the order of Scottish clans held recently in San Francisco at last evening's meeting of Clan Grant, 141, Chief William Mohr presided. Plans for the holding of the Robert Burns anniversary were also discussed. Five applications for membership were received.

As the result of a report that a number of salmon were cast in a pool of water near the Pawtucket falls this morning, Fish Warden Harry Gonzales and Charles L. Matren equipped themselves with nets and made a hurried trip to the spot so that the fish could be released. Upon their arrival, however, they learned that instead of salmon several dozen German eels, many of a very large size, were cast. As eels are not edible, they were not removed from the pool.

HUMIDITY CAUSES PROSTRATIONS

BOSTON, Sept. 9.—The high mark reached by the humidity yesterday caused much discomfort generally and resulted in at least three heat prostrations. They occurred at times when the humidity was at its lowest, but at 8 a. m. and 8 p. m. the two hours of the day at which the weather bureau records the humidity, a mark of 89 was reached.

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NO AMERICAN VICTIMS

LONDON, Sept. 9, 6:30 p. m.—There are no Americans among the Zeppelin air raid victims, the American embassy and the American consul reported this afternoon.

ADVANCE IN COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—There was a sharp advance in the cotton market today with active months selling 30 points or more above last night's closing figures on heavy general buying, which appeared to be based on reduced estimates of the crop and reports of improving spot demand.

January contracts, after closing at 10.55 early in the day sold up to 10.82 during the afternoon or \$3.45 a bale above the low point of last week and fully \$9 a bale above the low level of last summer.

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SANK IN SELF DEFENSE

U-Boat Commander Says Arabic Was Trying to Ram His Craft—Germany Regrets Deaths

BERLIN, Sept. 8, via London, Sept. 8.—Germany's note to the United States concerning the sinking of the White Star Line steamer Arabic by a German submarine was communicated to James W. Gerard, the American ambassador; yesterday evening.

The note ascribes the destruction of the liner to acts of self-defense on the part of the submarine, expresses the German government's deep regret that American lives were lost thereby, and offers to refer the questions of reparation and compensation to The Hague for adjustment.

Orders to Submarines

The note reveals in detail the instructions to submarine commanders concerning their treatment of liners. They are ordered not to attack a passenger steamer except in case of an attempt to escape after it is ordered to halt or unless its actions indicate an intention to attack the submarine.

The right to sink a hostile passenger ship after the passengers and crew have been placed in boats presumably is not affected by these instructions.

The submarine commander, according to his report concerning the sending of the Arabic to the bottom, said he believed the Arabic was about to attack the submarine and that therefore he acted within his instructions.

Commander's Report

German naval experts declare there is no other course open to submarines under the present conditions when, they assert, every merchantman, from tramp to fishing smack, is a presumptive enemy, possibly carrying guns and ready to seize any opportunity to attack the vulnerable submarine by gunfire or by ramming.

According to the submarine commander's report, the submarine was engaged in destroying freight when the Arabic was sighted. The submarine was then on the surface.

The Arabic, the commander declares, swung round and headed toward the fisher-boat as if to attack the submarine. The commander of the undersized craft remained in doubt as to the intentions of the Arabic when the latter changed her course few points, but still kept headed in a direction that was bringing him nearer to the scene.

Headed for Submarine?

The captain of the submarine reports that he continued to observe the actions of the liner until he saw the Arabic had sighted the undersized boat. Then the captain of the submarine, believing his craft was in danger, he declared, submerged her and fled 200 yards.

This news was communicated immediately to James W. Gerard, American ambassador, for transmission to Washington.

Prior to the receipt of the report of the submarine's commander, admiralty officials believed the submarine had been lost. No reason for her delay in returning to port has been given.

The news of the return of the submarine and the commander's report has not yet been published in Germany.

There is still no report available here with regard to the sinking of the Allen Line steamer Hesperian.

REFUSES DISAVOWAL

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Germany refuses to disavow the torpedoing of the Arabic on Aug. 19, with the loss of American lives.

This is clearly the meaning of a note handed yesterday to Ambassador Gerard in Berlin, in which the claim is made that the submarine commander who sank the Arabic "acted in self-defence."

Germany's new note has amazed the administration officials. Ambassador von Bernstorff plainly gave the assurance that Germany was not disposed to place any technicalities in the way of a speedy settlement of the Arabic case.

The note also seems to show a decided change in the policy in the German government as expressed during the past two weeks. The impression has been conveyed that submarine commanders were no longer permitted to make attacks without warning on passenger vessels, and the Berlin officials professed to be at a loss to account for the attack on the Arabic.

It has been given out that the submarine which was responsible for the attack was presumably lost, as it had not since been heard from, and that therefore Germany could not explain how the attack came to be made. The willingness was expressed, however, to make full reparation for what was assumed to be due to some blunder or misunderstanding.

Last night, however, the Washington officials learned to their amazement that "the submarine which sank the Arabic had returned," and that the commander claimed the sinking was done in "self defence."

The "self defence" consisted in the impression of the submarine commander that the Arabic by changing her course intended to ram him.

It will be remembered that the captain of the Arabic said that he had seen a freighter in distress, having evidently been torpedoed, and that he headed for her with the idea of saving the lives of those on board.

This humane act of the Arabic's commander is now made a pretense for sinking his vessel.

The surprise and disappointment of the administration officials are intensified by the fact that the German ambassador, von Bernstorff, had practically given them definite assurances that Germany would wholly disavow the attack on the Arabic and make full reparation for the loss of American lives. And now instead of a disclaimer there comes an attempt to justify the act.

Ambassador Gerard reports that no explanation has been given out in Berlin as to where the submarine has been all this time, and the whole performance is regarded in some quarters as a clumsy excuse to evade the issue.

Nor is the Arabic incident the only one regarding which Germany shows a change of front. For the past 24 hours despatches, evidently officially inspired, have come from Berlin, in which the claim is made that the Altona liner Hesperian was not torpedoed, but in all probability struck a mine. This claim is made and reiterated in spite of the fact that the ship's officers all declare that a torpedo caused the destruction of the vessel.

Germany is evidently relying on the fact that as the vessel went to the

strong opposition would develop against it being granted.

In fact, it is understood that movements have been on foot here to petition the public service commission, for the issuance of special fare rates, effective on runs used by workers—for instance on the Canals, Lake and West Pearl street lines for those patrons who work in the mills and shop shops and live at the other end of the city. Tickets giving six rides for a quarter on these lines would be a fare reduction that would be more than made up in income by increased riding, if put into effect, say advocates of the change.

are now enjoying an automobile tour to Cape Cod.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that the testator has been duly appointed executor of the will of Cornelius J. Cronin, late of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testator, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate, to whom notice is given, are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to Patrick J. Cronin, Executor. (Address) 228 Plain st., Lowell, Mass. July 27, 1915.

Edwards—Yarnold

Charles Smith Edwards, agent at the Brookside station in West Chelmsford and Miss Mabelle Addie Yarnold were married Tuesday evening by Rev. A. E. Trites of the Chelmsford Street Baptist church, the ceremony being performed at the new home of the couple in Brookside. The bride was given away by her nephew, George F. Yarnold of Boston and she was attended by her cousin, Mrs. Louis L. Potter of Boston. The best man was Harold Fletcher of West Chelmsford.

HOUSES wanted, for rent, in

WIN THE DOUBLE CROWN

JOHNSTON AND GRIFFIN BEAT MCLOUGHLIN AND BUNDY, THREE TIMES CHAMP.

FOREST HILLS, L. I., Sept. 9.—Not content with the highest honors in singles, William M. Johnston, playing with Clarence Griffin, both from the Golden Gate, captured the doubles crown yesterday from the three-times champions, McLaughlin and Bundy. Thus "The Comet" was denied even the consolation of the title and Bundy's 6,000-mile trip to play in this year went for naught.

Johnston and Griffin had to go five long sets to win it and it is doubtful if they would have been successful had Bundy been a younger and more active man. Constantly made the target of the shots of his speedy opponents, he played a splendid, plucky game for four sets, as in the internationals last year, but weakened in the last when he made six errors, not earning a point. This proved the undoing of the team. McLaughlin was the star throughout, but sometimes erring on easy chances.

TO BE A HARD WINTER

I. W. W. LEADER TELLS GOV. WALSH IN ASKING LATTER'S AID IN BEHALF OF IDLE WORKERS

BOSTON, Sept. 9.—Caleb Howard, I. W. W. organizer and leader of the unemployed, waited on Gov. Walsh yesterday to urge that he give immediate consideration to the question of the unemployed, which he says will be a more serious one this winter than it was last.

Gov. Walsh informed Mr. Howard that though he had the deepest sympathy with the working classes and the unemployed, he feared that any activity of his in their behalf at this time would be interpreted as an effort to secure political favor and prestige.

Mr. Howard told the governor he believed him too broad-minded to allow the mere appearance of seeking political favor to prevent action by him to relieve distress among thousands during the coming winter.

"A large amount of suffering and distress is certain to be prevalent among the workers this winter through unemployment," Mr. Howard told the governor. "Great numbers of residents of the state will be out of employment through no fault of their own, but on account of the industrial conditions, and by reason of the industrial organization of the country. Plans for their relief should be laid now."

In the Western theatre the King's Royal Rifles lost 15 killed, 23 wounded; Rifle Brigade, 16 killed, 24 wounded; while the Indians had 18 killed, 51 wounded.

GUSTAV STAHL JAILED

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TANIA GUNS—GIVEN EIGHTEEN

MONTHS

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Gustav Stahl, the German reservist who swore he saw 4 guns on the Lusitania just before she sailed from here on her last trip, but later admitted that his affidavit was false and entered a plea of guilty to perjury, was today sentenced to 18 months imprisonment in the federal prison at Atlanta and to pay a fine of \$1.

The excesses for the four last comparative periods are: 1915, 74,515; 1914, 101,233; 1913, 105,727; 1912, 102,293.

The births in England and Wales in the June quarter, 218,094, makes the lowest recorded since the establishment of civil registration. The figures are 12,973 below the same period last year and correspond to an annual rate of 22.0 per thousand or 3.3 below the 10 years' average for the June quarters.

Deaths, totaling 138,579, were the highest for any June quarter in the decade and were 14,418 in excess of June, 1914.

Marriages, probably owing to the war, were 13,900 in excess of last year, at 55,406.

MATRIMONIAL

John M. O'Donoghue and Miss Harrington Kew were married last evening at the home of the bride, 165 Branch street, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Herbert A. Barker, pastor of the Elton Congregational church. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Anna Kew, while the best man was Michael O'Donoghue of New York, brother of the bridegroom. The bride was attired in white crepe de chine with pearl trimmings. She wore a bridal veil caught up with orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and bridal roses. The bridegroom wore yellow taffeta and carried yellow roses. At the close of the ceremony a brief reception was held. After an extended wedding tour Mr. and Mrs. O'Donoghue will spend their home at 165 Branch street. The ushers were Lorin Kew, Alvah Weaver, John C. Leggett and W. A. Driscoll.

INVITE WOOD TO SWIM

BOSTON, Sept. 9.—To give their views on the question of military education in the public schools, Major General Leonard Wood, U. S. A., and President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard university will be invited to address the next meeting of the special commission recently appointed by Governor Walsh to study and report on the practicability of providing military training for boys and the establishment of a reserve militia if it was decided at the meeting of the commission held in room 440 of the state house yesterday afternoon.

FISH—Alien

Lewis E. Fisk of Carlisle and Miss Lotte E. Allen of South Chelmsford were married yesterday by Rev. Mr. Ellis, Miss May Beeks of this city acted as bridesmaid and Ralph Sweetser of Rovere as best man. The couple

TO LET

PLEASANT upstairs flat of 6 rooms, pantry and bath, spacious location. Apply 39 Shafter st.

UPSTAIRS FLAT of 6 rooms, to let; hot and cold water, set tubs, bath; new house. Apply 285 Dutton st.

FLAT to let at corner Jewett and West Sixth st. 6 rooms, pantry, bath room, set tubs, hot and cold water, furnace heat. Inquire Mrs. Stratton, 131 Liberty st. Phone 222-14.

FLAT of 6 rooms and bath, to let; heat and cold water, set tubs, bath, furnace heat; 4th floor. Tel. 4775-W.

FINISHED room wanted by a young foreigner in a private family, who he is able to take lessons in English. P. O. Box 332.

LOST AND FOUND

LADY'S diamond ring lost at Lakeview, Monday night. Reward if returned. Write A-17, Sun Office.

AUTOMOBILE crank handle lost between Humphrey and First st., Central st.

6-ROOM TENEMENTS to let, hot and cold water, furnace heat; 4th floor. Tel. 4775-W.

WALL fast containing \$10 bill and ticket stub from Mountford on the 7:15 train from Boston, Sunday night. Liberal reward for return to Engine 1, Gorham, Gorham st.

POCKETBOOK lost in Keith's theatre, Friday night. Please return to 14 Westford st. for reward.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

COTTAGE and 10,768 feet of land for sale at 51 Pleasant ave., Dracut; will sell cheap. Inquire F. W. 63 West Tilled st.

LOCATION is everything. Six-room bungalow for sale, modern, 1915 Middlesex st., 8 minutes walk to depot, \$1,000. S. X. Harris, 63 Dover Tel. 522-14.

INDIAN HOMES, in two tenements, with large building lot in Bassett st., near Broad square, for sale, in good repair, good cellar, skated roof. Own property, must sell at once. Apply 45 Bassett st.

7-ROOM TENEMENT for sale, with over 3000 feet of land; grape vines, shrubbery, etc., at 50 Lamb st., Pawtucket, will sell at a sacrifice.

6-ROOM TENEMENT with pantry and bath, to let, for \$12 per month. Apply to the Schutz Furniture Co., Middlesex st.

THE OFFICES in the Lowell Free Press Building, handsomely occupied for many years by Dr. Wm. T. Carroll, to let. Inquire at bank.

TWO SMALL STUDIOS to let on Gorham st., opposite globe hotel; rent \$10. Modern flat, Carter ave., rent \$12. Inquire at 937 Gorham st.

ESTATES FLAT, 6 rooms, to let at 28 Seventeenth st. Inquire O. W. Peabody, 16 Warren st. Tel. 629.

PLATES—Five or 6 rooms to let; bath, set tubs, etc.; key 49 School st.; only \$25. week. Tel. 2271-R.

TO MEMP to adults, on Westford st., an upstairs 7-room apartment with bath, newly finished throughout. Tel. 353 Westford st.

ROOMS—Two steam heated rooms to let, also four small steam heated furnished rooms at \$1.00 per week. Hurst st. Apply to matron.

OFFICE—Large office, 34 by 14 feet on the second floor of the Harrington building, 52 Central st., good light and ventilation, for rent. Will be partitioned off to suit a desirable tenant and will be rented or leased at a reasonable rent. Apply to W. J. Harrington, Building Manager, 601 Sun Block st. Tel. 197-1.

STORAGE FOR FURNITURE Separate room \$1 per month for regular \$2 two-horse load. Prices 50c. The driest and cleanest place for storage in Lowell. Tel. connection. F. Prentiss, 336 Bridge st.

FOR SALE

PIERCE motorcycle with Presto Lite and tank for sale; price \$30. Apply to C. Zarpath, 2nd house past city limit on Rogers st.

CARRIAGES—One two-seated custom-made carriage, rubber tread and in fine condition. A canopy top two-seated carriage. Harnesses, plows, cultivators, potato digger and roller. Inquire of Enoch Foster, Tewksbury, Mass.

JERSEY COW and two Holstein helpers for sale. A. Cox, Old Nashua road, Dracut. R. F. D. No. 3.

24 HENS, 11 chickens for sale. Apply to A. E. Hurley, Senate Cottage, Bell Grove.

PIANOS, player pianos, 55 note musical rolls, silk-lined machines and records for sale. Special September prices at Moulton's 704 Bridge st.

36-ROOM lodging and boarding house for sale, 19-21 Hunt st., well furnished, steam heated, rent reasonable for number of rooms and location. Apply A. E. O'Brien, 15 Hunt st.

PEACHES

At Wm. L. Livingston's Fruit Farm, just beyond North Lukensbury on Andover and Lowell road. Address Box 47, Route 1, Lowell, Mass.

SPECIAL NOTICES

BEST BUTTER, 25¢; fresh eggs, 23¢; Challenge Milk, 9¢; pure lamb, 10¢; Golden Gem Coffee, your breakfast is not complete without it. 30 lb. Brookside Butter Co., 197 Gorham st. 115 Alton st.

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THE SPELLBINDER

The Courier-Citizen on Monday had for a headline: "Mayor Denies That He Had Pledged Support for This Year," and under it was a statement from Mayor Murphy denying that he ever promised his support to the Dr. Mignault at the French club." His Honor took pains to enumerate the number of occasions on which he appeared at the C. M. A. C. as if that were the question at issue. But in no part of the statement did the mayor deny that at some time and place he promised that he would support Dr. Mignault for mayor. His Honor very plainly stated that he made no promise to Dr. Mignault at the French club and undoubtedly he did not, but his statement and the Courier-Citizen's headline whether intentionally or not would give the public the impression that at no time or place did His Honor make such a promise.

Dr. Mignault it is understood, is prepared to produce evidence from people who claim they heard His Honor pledge his support to the doctor or some other French candidate. Whether His Honor made the statement at the French club or not, is immaterial. The statement in Monday's Courier-Citizen is not a denial of what Dr. Mignault stated in the Courier-Citizen previously, as follows:

"Were you given positive assurance by Mayor Murphy himself, in the fall of 1913, that he would not be a candidate a second time?" was asked by Dr. Mignault.

"No, I was not, but my friends had that general understanding of the situation. I was told by them what he had said. At a meeting in the C. M. A. C. club he told them that if he were supported at that time, two years hence he would take off his coat and work for Dr. Mignault, or any other French candidate for mayor. I can get a hundred witnesses to that. And so they supported him, and he was elected."

Everybody will agree, and even Dr. Mignault will accept, the correction, that Mayor Murphy, while at the French club did not promise to support the doctor, but that does not prove that he did not make any promise of support at some other time and place.

Previous Action Rescinded

Some time ago when the one-day-off-in-five bill was before the legislature Mayor Murphy and the other members of the municipal council ordered City Solicitor Hennessy to go to Boston and oppose it, and the city solicitor obeyed orders. At that time Mayor Murphy was not a candidate for re-election. On the South common Monday Mayor Murphy, now a candidate for re-election said: "A few years ago it devolved upon the people of Massachusetts to pass upon legislation affecting the firemen and two cities in the Commonwealth, Lowell and Taunton, brought disgrace upon themselves and the state by refusing to grant the firemen one day off in five. As I saw you men march by city hall today, thousands strong, it was an impressive sight, but why don't you march to the polls on election day with the same show of strength and organization and vote to give the firemen one day off in five."

Let's see what was it that His Honor or said in his paid advertisement of two years ago when he announced that he would not run again:

"I believe," said His Honor, "if unhampered with plans necessary to bring about another term when he sent the city solicitor to Boston to oppose the bill providing for one day off in five for the firemen. But now he's a candidate for a continuation of two additional years in office."

It is evident that His Honor wasn't hampered with plans necessary to bring about another term when he sent the city solicitor to Boston to oppose the bill providing for one day off in five for the firemen. But now he's a candidate for a continuation of two additional years in office.

Trades and Labor Petition
That statement of His Honor about going to the polls in full force is a rather dangerous one for the mayor to make if he intends to further ignore the petition of the Trades and Labor council for the safeguarding of the unprotected waterways of the city. The labor men may take it into their heads to march to the polls on election day and elect a candidate for mayor who will give heed to their requests that a few hundred dollars be spent by the city toward protecting the lives of their children. But His Honor has a month or more before the primaries in which to find the money to fix up the waterways and probably he'll do it at the 11th hour and make it a campaign argument.

In May 1910, as the result of agitation the city appropriated a small sum of money for the purchase and placing of life preservers, ladders, etc. at 25 dangerous points along the waterways. They were not placed in charge of any particular department and as a result vandals stole about all of them again.

Twice last year, in March and November, Mayor Murphy was requested to restore this life saving apparatus but nothing was done.

In January of this year the mayor was asked by Harry Howe to set aside \$150 from the regular appropriations for the restoration of the apparatus, but the request was ignored. On April 23 of this year, about five months ago, the members of the Trades and Labor council were given a hearing at city hall on their petition asking the city council to take some action toward safeguarding the unprotected waterways. After the hearing the municipal council took the matter "under advisement" and there it still remains.

On June 20 the Trades and Labor council reminded His Honor by letter of the municipal council's neglect in the matter but still there was nothing doing.

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is why it costs the treasurer only \$139.75 for the care of the Lowell court house and registry of deeds and \$17,612.76 for the care of the Cambridge court house and registry. It also asks why it costs \$168.60 for directors for the Cambridge court house and only \$15 for the Lowell court house. Mr. Wilson is certainly putting in some strong personal ticks in this end of the county and claims that he is receiving the finest kind of encouragement in these parts.

Word Eight Contest
Things are getting interesting in Ward 8 where Representative Dr. M. L. Mignault is being urged to take steps under statute to compel the Locks and Canals company to take action.

But the municipal council has never gotten after the Locks and Canals company, which may or may not have something to do with the fact that for the first time in history mill overseers have been given political petitions to circulate among their help in the mill, as was done with some of the petitions asking Mayor Murphy to run again.

There have been 57 drawings in these places since 1910 and 29 of them have occurred since the request was made two years ago.

Throughout his administration Mayor Murphy has appeared indifferent to all requests for proper protection at the danger spots. But now that he is a candidate for another term he may change his mind even as he did on the firemen's matter, and perhaps he'll have some fences built along the open canal banks between now and the date of the primaries.

A Well Filled Grave Yard

Somewhere in his office, City Clerk Flynn conducts a grave yard of municipal legislation, which under this administration must be rapidly filling up. In it are buried the numerous petitions and communications sent to the mayor and municipal council which have been "read and placed on file" or "taken under advisement" and never again heard from. And while on the subject of petitions and graveyards, the fact is recalled that on June 2, of this year a petition was presented to the mayor and municipal council requesting that the municipal council confer with the authorities of the Locks and Canals company in relation to the removal of the unsightly board fences now along the canal banks between Moody and Market streets and that ornamental "uncinable" wire fences be erected close to the water's edge, thereby affording the people living in these congested districts a breathing place.

The communication was "read and placed on file" and has never been heard from since its presentation.

Among the signers of that petition were Frank Ricard, Dr. R. Mignault, Dr. J. E. Lamoureux, Dr. Samuel Pataudie, Dr. George E. Calisse, J. C. Mansen, John A. Osgood, Daniel J. Hart, W. T. S. Battell, Adolphe DeSile, Dr. G. O. Lavallee, Dr. C. J. B. O'Brien, E. Pelleter, Louis E. LaSalle, Paul Vigneau, Cornelius A. Daly, Joseph Albert, Louis P. Turcotte, A. Lacomontagne, Arthur Vigneau and many others. It will be noted that among the signers are several substantial taxpayers. We may expect to see this petition resurrected between now and the date of the primaries.

Conditions Are Improving

Conditions certainly are improving at the Westford street fire house.

First, in response to the demand of the residents of the Highlands they put back two horses which looked like a couple of xylophones standing up on four legs. Then they announced that a boiler would be placed in the fire house and finally they have taken the nearer-dead of the two horses away and have substituted a fine, fat animal, so fat in fact, that if he ever is called upon to run any distance they'll need a pulmotor to restore his wind.

The team of horses that are now boarding at the Westford street house would make a great ad for "Dr. Frank Garvey's condition powders" before and after taking.

On one sees nothing but ribs while a probe would be necessary to locate the ribs on the other. Meanwhile if there is a fire in the Highlands the chemical must wait until the department gets to the blaze and looks it over, then, if in its judgment, there is need for the chemical, word will be sent to headquarters and from headquarters it will be transmitted to the Westford street house.

Then the fat and lean horses will be hatched and the apparatus gotten under way. If the horses manage to stick it out until they arrive at the scene of the fire there'll be at least be the ruins for the chemical to work on.

Putting Through Dummer Street

Some weeks ago a man who is interested in the extension of Dummer street said to me:

"Want to do me a favor?"

"Roast the Dummer street extension as hard as you can," he replied.

"I thought you wanted it to go through?" I asked.

"I certainly do, and I know that if you roast it the bunch at city hall will favor it for spite."

"You're on," said I.

And they're going through with it.

Pawtucketville Concert

Sunday's municipal band concert was held in the front yard of the house formerly owned by the late Lorenzo E. Smith of the street department who, if alive, undoubtedly would have appreciated the honor provided he had nothing planned in the front yard.

Opposite the Smith residence is a big vacant lot some 20 or more feet below the sidewalk. The bandmen evidently were not taking any chances by going below the surface to play and hence took their horns from the front yard of the Smith residence. And we have a fine new band stand on the South common. It was the general impression among the audience at the concert that it was given in Pawtucketville for political effect, to soothe the residents after depriving them of a new bridge and saddling a contagious disease hospital on them.

Signing the Petition

Though all are legal residents of Lowell there are many who are "from Missouri" when told that 7000 voters signed those petitions asking the mayor to run again.

Four Charlestown men who have been camping at Silver lake, near Wilmington, dropped in at a local liquor store not long ago to purchase some supplies for the camp and while being waited upon, one of them picked up one of the petitions asking the mayor to run again.

"You can sign that if you want to," said the clerk to the customer.

"Sure, we'll sign it," and smilingly the four of them put their names to the petition and were counted in with the other 6996 "voters of Lowell" who want the mayor to run again.

THE SPELLBINDER

INDUSTRIAL and STORE NEWS

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North Chelmsford on the bands of the Merrimack.

The steel skeleton of the new garage for the U. S. Cartridge Co. in Watson field is completed and in a very short time the building will be ready for occupancy.

Workmen are busily engaged at the Warrenville plant of the Newton Manufacturing Co., making needed alterations, and installing machinery.

Painters' union will meet tonight in Carpenters' hall to transact important business.

An open meeting for boxmakers will be held in Carpenters' hall tomorrow night under the auspices of the Carpenter's district council.

John McAuliffe, formerly employed at the Appleton mills, has accepted a position at the U. S. Cartridge Co.

The new storehouse being erected for the Appleton Co. by the New England Construction Co. is now five stories high.

"If You Can't Get a Job in the Cartridge Shop, You'll Never Get a Job at All," is a song becoming exceedingly popular with the younger generation.

It is a parody on "If You Can't Get a Girl in the Summer Time, etc."

A mass meeting for machinists of the city is scheduled for tonight in the union quarters in Middle street with Ross Hall of Lynn as the principal speaker. Organizer Hall is the man who is conducting the strike at Governor Boss' plants.

New Organizers Coming

Organizer Ross Hall of Lynn, who is also New England business agent for the International Association of Machinists, will conduct the open meetings for machinists to be held this afternoon and evening in the union quarters in Middle street.

Carpenters' Union, Local 1610

Carpenters' hall in the Runels building was well filled last night when the members of Carpenters' union, local 1610, held their regular weekly meeting. Business of considerable importance was transacted and two new members were admitted. Several applications for membership were referred to the investigating committee, number of sub-committees on the Labor day celebration submitted reports and they were accepted as read. Business Agent Michael A. Lee reported business in the trade to be good for this time of the year.

Boilermakers' Union

The Boilermakers' union held a largely attended session in Trades & Labor hall last night at which a grist of routine business was transacted. Several applications for membership were received.

Folders' Union

The Folders' union held a routine business session last night in the union quarters at 32 Middle street. There was a large attendance.

THUGS BEAT BURKETT

ATTEMPT TO ROB MANAGER OF WORCESTER CLUB OF \$800 IN LYNN FAILS

WORCESTER, Sept. 9.—With his left eye closed and blackened, his left leg cut by what he says was a set of steel knuckles or a blackjack, and his right cheek so swollen that it nearly closed his right eye, Manager Jesse C. Burkett of Worcester yesterday returned to Worcester and told a story of a severe beating given him by six thugs in Lynn Monday night in an attempt to rob him of \$800 which he was supposed to be carrying for the members of the Worcester team.

The money, however, had been left in the safe of the hotel in Lynn, so the would-be robbers failed in their efforts.

Since the Worcester team gave up the ghost in Worcester, Manager Burkett has been acting as custodian of the funds of the players, who finished the season on the cooperative plan. This fact evidently became known around the circuit, and after the closing game in Lynn on Labor day Manager Burkett had close to \$800 to divide among the players. According to previous arrangement the money was to be divided among the players in Worcester Tuesday.

After supper in Lynn Monday night Burkett went out for a walk and says he was suddenly struck from behind and turned in time to see half a dozen men surround him and then began to beat him. The thugs went through his pockets, but got only a few cents in change, and they left him lying nearly helpless on the sidewalk.

He managed to get back to the hotel, where he had his wounds dressed. His condition was such that he could not come to Worcester Tuesday to meet the players, but he arrived home yesterday with the \$800 and this afternoon divided that among the members of the team, giving those in the city about \$50 each and arranging to forward a similar amount to the members of the team who have returned to their homes.

It is understood that that fine spring winter that was much touted as one of the assets of the Varnum land was not included in the survey made of the land to be taken by the city.

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A well-known medical writer says always first prescribe Bisulfur-Magnesia in every case of hyperacidity, acid stomach, etc., that comes in me.

Take a spoonful of this powder in a glass of hot water, make a bath of instant relief. Sold at Lister's Pharmacy and by all druggists.

Bisulfur-Magnesia is either powder or tablet form at 25c, 50c, \$1.00, 6.40, 10.00, 25c, 50c, \$1.00, 6.40, 10.00, 25c,